

Nebraska Youth Bowling Partnership Presents The 2022-2023 Nebraska Youth Open and U23 Bowling Tour



Special Iowa Tour Stop 8/20-8/21/2022 Legacy Lanes, Monticello, IA

Divisions Offered

U12 Boys/Girls Scratch; birthdate 8/1/2010 or later

U15 Boys/Girls Scratch: birthdate 8/1/2007 to 7/31/2010

U18 Boys/Girls Scratch: birthdate 8/1/2004 to 7/31/2007

U23 Mixed Scratch: birthdate 8/1/1999 to 7/31/2004

Mixed Handicap: birthdate 8/1/2004 or later; average < 176

**Squad 1: Saturday, 8/20/2022; check-in 1:15 pm, bowling 2:00 pm
U12, U15, Handicap**

**Squad 2: Sunday, 8/21/2022; check-in 9:15 am, bowling 10:00 am
U18 Girls*, U18 Boys, U23**

Maximum of 50 bowlers per squad. Enter early to guarantee your spot.

**U18 Girls may be moved to squad 1 depending on the number of entries.*

Entry Fee: \$60* per bowler

Optional Junior Gold Qualifying (including U20) and Side Brackets available.

Walk-ins will be accepted on a space available basis.

***Registrations received after 8/15/2022 and walk-ins will be \$70.**

Absolutely no email, text, phone, or social media messaging entries will be accepted. You must register online or walk-in.

See back for rules and format.



This event will have an optional Junior Gold Qualifier, INCLUDING U20, provided there are enough entries.



Enter online at TournamentBowl.com. Search "Tournaments Upcoming" to find all of our events. Filter by state (NE or IA) to narrow down the list.

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Abbreviated Rules and Information (as of 6/22/2022)

Full rules available on site the day of the event or by request.

- 1 **Eligibility:** Open to all USBC sanctioned youth bowlers whose birth date is 08/01/2004 or later and all adult bowlers whose birth date is between 8/1/1999 and 7/31/2004. All bowlers who turn 18 on or before 7/31/2022 must be sanctioned as adults before bowling the first event of the season.
- 2 **Cost:** \$60 tournament entry (**\$70 late registration**); \$5 optional brackets, no limit; optional Junior Gold entry fee. Per tournament: \$22 lineage, \$25 awards and scholarships, \$5 to season finals, \$8 expenses. \$50 Membership fee is required upon bowler's second event of the season and goes toward the season finals lineage and awards.
- 3 **Junior Gold Qualifying (optional):** All events will be Junior Gold Qualifiers, provided the minimum number of entries is met. U20 Junior Gold qualifiers cannot be combined with U18 and below. There must be at least four U20 entries to hold a U20 qualifier.
- 4 **Entries** Pre-registered/pre-paid entries will be accepted first. Walk-ins will be accepted based on availability. *See rule #7 for registration information.*

5 **Divisions:**

- U12 Boys/Girls Scratch; birthdate 8/1/2010 or later
- U15 Boys/Girls Scratch: birthdate 8/1/2007 to 7/31/2010
- U18 Boys/Girls Scratch: birthdate 8/1/2004 to 7/31/2007
- U23 Mixed Scratch: birthdate 8/1/1999 to 7/31/2004
- Mixed Handicap: birthdate 8/1/2004 or later, average under 176; 80% of 200. The maximum handicap will be 90 pins per game.



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Note: Divisions may be combined if there are fewer than 10 entries per division. Divisions will be combined first within age groups and then across age groups as needed to make a full division.

Starting averages for the Handicap division will be the highest book average on bowl.com for the 2021-2022 season. Bowlers whose first event of the season is after January 1, 2023, will use the highest average as of 12/31/2022 for a minimum of 12 games. If the bowler does not have an established average on bowl.com, please provide a current league standing sheet. Bowlers unable to provide a valid average will bowl scratch. Handicap averages will be rerated every 10 games.

- 6 **Sport oil pattern:** Pattern will be released one week prior to the event on our Facebook page and will be emailed to all registered participants.
- 7 **Registration:** Pre-registration and pre-payment is encouraged. Once a squad is full, a wait list will be started. Walk-ins will be accepted based on availability per squad. Walk-in entry fee is \$70.
 - Register online at TournamentBowl.com or scan the QR code above. No text, social media messenger, phone, or email entries will be accepted. (Inquiries are welcome, but no registrations taken.)
 - **Pre-pay using PayPal friends and family to: neyouthbowl@gmail.com. Please add a note indicating bowlers' name(s) and the event name.**
- 8 **Format:** All bowlers will bowl a five-game qualifier, moving lanes after each event. Movement will be finalized the day of the event. After the five games, a cut to the top 5 bowlers in each division will be made. The top 5 bowlers will bowl in seeded, stepladder bracket finals with single game elimination. Ties for qualifying positions will be broken by the highest single game. Ties in the stepladder will be broken by a 9th and 10th frame roll and will continue until a winner is determined.
- 9 **Scholarships and Payouts:** Scholarships/payouts will be awarded at a minimum of a 1:5 in each division. The amount of scholarship/payout available will be finalized the day of the event. Scholarship money will be deposited into bowlers' SMART accounts within 30 days of the conclusion of the tournament. Additional scholarship/payout money may be added on the day of the tournament. **U23 bowlers birthdate between 8/1/1999 and 7/31/2004, will have the option to take their payouts in cash or scholarship.** It is the college bowlers' responsibility to know their limits for cash/scholarship awards to maintain collegiate eligibility.
- 10 **Tournament Date:** 8/20-8/21/2022; Squad 1 check-in will begin at 1:15 pm on 8/20/2022 with bowling beginning at 2:00 pm. Squad 2 check-in will begin at 9:15 am on 8/21/2022 with bowling beginning at 10:00 am. Squad 1 will consist of the U12, U15, and Handicap divisions. Squad 2 will consist of the U18 Girls*, U18 Boys, and U23 divisions.
*U18 Girls may be moved to Squad 1 depending on the number of entries in each squad.
- 11 **Dress Code:** Collared shirts or bowling jerseys for boys and girls; slacks or dress shorts for boys; slacks, dress shorts, or skorts for girls. Shorts and skirts/skorts must be at least mid-thigh length in the front, back, and sides when standing, and a skort must completely cover the shorts underneath at all times, including when bowling. No jeans, shorts, sweatpants or yoga-type pants, hats, or sleeveless shirts will be allowed. Any apparel depicting cigarettes, alcohol, drugs or weapons will not be allowed. Tournament director reserves the right to disallow any apparel that does not meet these criteria and tournament director's decision is final.