

**\*\* Four Total Events Bowled on Kegel Challenge Patterns \*\***

* ~~October 23, 2022 (Chromium)~~
* ~~January 8, 2023 (Mercury)~~
* April 16, 2023 (Tungsten)
* June 18, 2023 (Titanium)

**Adult and Youth Divisions! Brackets will be available!**

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| **Name** | **DOB** | **M/F** | **Average** | **USBC Member ID** |
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 **2022-2023 Heavy Metal Bowling Challenge Series Rules**

**Additional Progressive Prize Fund**

**$10 donated per entry, per tournament by sponsor**

* Five points awarded per ten pins (scratch)
* Points carry over to each event
* Prize fund carries over to final tournament
* Awarded at 1:6 ratio based on points
* Participation in two or more events required to be awarded prize money
* **Current balance: $280.00**

**Entry Fees**

**$50 per bowler**

* $20 lineage
* $30 prize fund/scholarships
* Handicap: 90% of 220
* **Oil patterns are Challenge shots**

$10 optional scratch division

All prize/scholarship funds paid 100% at 1:6

Same-day cash payouts for adult participants

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**All events start at 1:00PM**

Registration opens at 11:30AM

1. **The Tournament is open to any youth or adult bowler providing proof of a 2022-2023 USBC Membership.**
2. Lanes to be assigned at check-in. Bowlers failing to appear on the lanes prepared to bowl at the scheduled time shall forfeit their entry fee.
3. **Participation Rules**
	1. This is a Singles event. Walk-in entries will be permitted if space is available. No re-entry.
	2. Entering averages and handicap will be based on 90% of 220 for each bowler using the most recent league or book average as of January 1, 2023.
	3. Adult participants will be limited to a maximum handicap of 225 pins.
	4. Substitutes will not be allowed.
4. **Format**
	1. All participants will bowl **four** games in Singles competition.
	2. Participants will switch lanes after **two** games.
	3. The tournament will be using **Challenge-rated** oil patterns.
5. **PRIZE FUND AND SCHOLARSHIP MONEY WILL BE RETURNED 100%**.The prize ratio for each event will be one prize for every six entries. Entry fees will be broken down as follows**:**
	1. **Prize/Scholarship Fund:** $30.00 per bowler
	2. **Lineage:** $20.00 per bowler
	3. **Optional Scratch:** $10 per bowler
	4. Scholarship funds will be paid at least 1:6 and held in SMART account # 13580
	5. Scholarships will be distributed to SMART accounts within 30 days after the close of the tournament.
	6. All other prize funds will be distributed same day to adult participants.
6. In the event of a tie for first place, a one-game roll off will be conducted.
7. In the event of a tie for first place after the one-game roll off, a 10th frame roll off will be conducted.
8. In the event of a tie for first place after the final roll off, co-winners will be declared in accordance with USBC Rule 326a.
9. All other ties will result in awards being split equally.
10. **Dress Code Rules**
	1. All clothing must be in good repair.
	2. Obscene or vulgar clothing will not be allowed.
11. **Youth participants shall not use or consume alcohol or tobacco products. This includes electronic cigarettes, vaping, etc. Any youth participants caught using any of these items during the competition will be disqualified.**
12. USBC Rule 329, a protest or appeal involving eligibility or playing rules, must be filed with Tournament Management within 72 hours of the infraction. Protest or appeal must be in writing and the grounds for the protest or appeal briefly stated.
13. ***A $35.00 ADMINISTRATIVE FEE, PLUS BANK CHARGES, WILL BE LEVIED ON ANY RETURNED CHECKS.***

All other USBC rules apply to this tournament unless otherwise stated

 **Address:**

 **City: State: Zip Code:**

 **E-mail: Phone Number:**