



Annual Women's Tournament

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1585 State Street
Orem Utah, 84097



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May 1-2, 8- 9, 15- 16, 2021

Online entry has Immediate confirmation of dates and times – Paper entry IS NOT guaranteed

Online entry available at www.utahbowling.org – mail paper entry to PO Box 95730, So. Jordan, Utah 84095

Team Name:		Local Association:	
Team Captain:		Email Address:	
Captain USBC #:		Street Address:	
Cell / Phone #:		City, State - Zip:	

Team Entry Line – Up			Composite Average		Entry	Scratch Team Optional	Total
	First & Last Name	USBC #	2019/2020	State Use	Team	\$40 per Team	
1					\$25 per Person	\$10 per	\$
2					\$25 per Person	\$10 per	\$
3					\$25 per Person	\$10 per	\$
4					\$25 per Person	\$10 per	\$
Team \$ 100.00 - \$25 per person – With Optional \$35 per person						Total Team Paid	\$

Doubles & Singles Entry Line – Up			Composite Average		Entry	Scratch Optional		Total
	First & Last Name	USBC #	2019/2020	State Use	D & S	Doubles \$20 Per Team	Singles \$10 Per Person	
1					\$50 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$
2					\$50 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$
1					\$50 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$
2					\$50 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$
Doubles & Singles Team \$ 100.00 - \$50 per person – With Both Optional \$70 per person						Total D & S Paid	\$	

All Events – Optional – All Events Senior Optional						Total	
	First & Last Name	Handicap	Scratch	50+ Hdcp	50+ Scratch		
1		\$10 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$	
2		\$10 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$	
3		\$10 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$	
4		\$10 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$10 per	\$	
All Events - \$10 per event per person – Min per person \$10 Max \$40						Total All Events Paid	\$

Team Event				Doubles & Singles				Remittance – Return Check Fee \$35	
Saturday	May 01	8 am	6:30 pm	Saturday	May 01	12 pm	3 pm	Team Paid	\$
Sunday	May 02	8 am	N/A	Sunday	May 02	12 pm	N/A	Dbls & Sngls Paid	\$
Saturday	May 08	8 am	6:30 pm	Saturday	May 08	12 pm	3 pm	All Events Paid	\$
Sunday	May 09	8 am	N/A	Sunday	May 09	12 pm	N/A	50+ All Events Paid	\$
Saturday	May 15	8 am	6:30 pm	Saturday	May 15	12 pm	3 pm		
Sunday	May 16	8 am	N/A	Sunday	May 16	12 pm	N/A	Total Entry Paid	\$

Team	Date / Time	Doubles & Singles	Date / Time
1 st Choice		1 st Choice	
2 nd Choice		2 nd Choice	

Hotel Reservations can be made at:

Comfort Inn & Suites
427 W University Pkwy
Orem, Utah 84058 801.431.0405

La Quinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham
521 W University Pkwy
Orem, Utah 84058 801.226.0440

Hampton Inn & Suites
851 W 1250 South
Orem, Utah 84058 801.426.8500

Holiday Inn Express & Suites
1290 W University Pkwy
Orem, Utah 84058 801.655.1515



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UTAH STATE USBC Women's 2021 TOURNAMENT INFORMATION & RULES

The 2021 Utah State USBC Women's Tournament shall be conducted in accordance with the United States Bowling Congress (USBC) rules and regulations and governing rules for Utah State USBC Tournaments in addition to rules adopted by the Utah State USBC (USUSBC).

RULES

- Eligibility:** All Participants must be a current female member of USBC, USUSBC, and a local association 18 years or older and located in Utah in good standing. Non-members may purchase a membership for \$13.00 (national)+\$2.00 (state)+\$10.00 (local dues where tournament is held) total of \$24.00 if living within Utah and \$11.00 if living outside of Utah with a current USBC membership, provided they have a verifiable average from the 2019-2020 season.
- Average Requirements:** Entrants shall use their highest composite average of all USBC leagues for the 2019-2020 season as reported on bowl.com as of the start of the tournament. If an entrant does not have a verifiable composite average then the highest verifiable composite average as posted on bowl.com from past 3 seasons can be used. If no previous average, the entrant will use their highest current certified league average of 12 games or more as of Sunday, April 25, 2021. This includes summer league averages. Sport & Challenge league averages will be adjusted based on the USBC conversion table. If the converted composite average is 10 or more pins higher than the highest reported standard average it will be used as the entering average. If no verifiable average is submitted or available the participant will be assigned and compete with an entering average of 230, the participant must provide a current average verification from their league secretary at the time of check-in. It is the **PARTICIPANT'S RESPONSIBILITY** to verify the accuracy of their entering average. All averages including Winners' averages if submitted lower will be adjusted and the participant's score will be disqualified. All averages will be verified including winners and those submitted higher will remain as submitted. **USBC Rule 201a, b, & c, 319a(1b), 3, & 4, 319b & 319c will apply.**
- Reporting Prior Prize Winnings:** Participants will be required to report tournament prize money in excess of \$300 in a single event or in excess of \$500 combined and/or prize money in excess of \$1000 in all tournaments competed in within 12 months. **USBC Rule 319d**
- Handicap:** 100% of 230
- Entry Fee:** - Entry fees must accompany entry for Team, Doubles, and Singles events. Optional Scratch Events and Optional Handicap and Scratch All Events Must be paid prior to the start of the first event bowled and can be paid at check-in. **No refunds (USBC rule 314) \$35.00 fee returned items.**

Event	Entry Fee	Lineage Due	Prize Fund Amount	To Cover Expenses
Team	\$100.00	\$ 44.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 16.00
Doubles	\$ 50.00	\$ 22.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 8.00
Singles	\$ 25.00	\$ 11.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 4.00
Scratch Team Optional	\$ 40.00	None	\$ 36.00	\$ 4.00
Scratch Doubles Optional	\$ 20.00	None	\$ 18.00	\$ 2.00
Scratch Singles Optional	\$ 10.00	None	\$ 9.00	\$ 1.00
All Events Handicap Optional	\$ 10.00	None	\$ 9.00	\$ 1.00
All Events Scratch Optional	\$ 10.00	None	\$ 9.00	\$ 1.00
All Events Senior Handicap Optional	\$ 10.00	None	\$ 9.00	\$ 1.00
All Events Senior Scratch Optional	\$ 10.00	None	\$ 9.00	\$ 1.00

- Participation:** This is a Certified USBC competition and will consist of Team, Doubles & Single events. **Multiple Team Events** may be bowled with at least (2) members different on each team as schedule permits. Doubles & Singles event may only be bowled once. All Events may be entered once and scores will consist of (9) games using the participants First Team, Doubles & Singles event scores bowled in the tournament.
- Professional Bowlers:** For the purpose of participation in the Utah State Women's Championships, PROFESSIONAL BOWLERS are defined as follows:
 - Any Female bowler under the age of 60 who has won any of the following:
 - A PWBA or PBA national title regardless of professional status at the time of the win.
 - A USBC Queens or U.S. Women's Open title from 2003 to 2014
 - A USBC Masters Title
 - Any bowler having applied for membership or held membership in ANY professional bowling organization during the calendar year (Jan 1 – Dec 31, 2020) preceding the event, and up through their dates of their competition in 2021.
 - Professional bowlers will be eligible to compete only in the **DIAMOND DIVISION** for Team, Doubles, Singles, and All Events, subject to the following guidelines:
 - A Team may only have up to (2) professional bowlers max on any one team as defined in item 1a-c. and follow rule #6 if bowling multiple team events.
 - Two professional bowlers as defined in item 1a-c may bowl doubles together in the *Diamond Division* only and follow rule #6.
 - Professional bowlers are only eligible to enter Singles/All Events in the *Diamond Division* and follow rule #6.
- Division Structure:**

Team Divisions		Doubles Divisions		Singles/All Events Divisions	
Diamond	580 and above	Diamond	290 and above	Diamond	145 and above
Ruby	579 and below	Ruby	289 and below	Ruby	144 and below

- Check-In:** Entrants are required to check in Forty-five (45) minutes prior to assigned squad time. **Walk-in entrants must register and check in 1 hour prior to squad starting time.**
- Substitutes:** Substitutes are allowed when necessary and must be reported to the tournament manager or official at least fifteen (15) minutes prior to the event. In case of disability after a game has started a substitute shall be allowed if one is available. If no substitute is available only the actual score of frames bowled shall count. Substitutes shall take the place in the lineup of the original entrant. A substitute will not be required or expected to reimburse the original entrant with the entry fee paid and is not expected nor required to give the original entrant any prize money or award the substitute may win. If a bowler is missing from a doubles event the doubles partner can request to be rescheduled; **only if a substitute cannot be found at least five (5) minutes before the squad starting time and only if there is room to move to another tournament time and/or day.** Any participant missing for their scheduled singles squad can request a reschedule with the tournament manager or official. **Singles will only be rescheduled if there is room to be moved to another tournament time and/or day.**
- Late or Tardy:** Bowlers arriving after the start of any of their scheduled events will receive zeros for frames missed. The option of requesting a reschedule may or may not be granted based on tournament schedule and lane availability.
- Schedule:** Entries will be processed in the order received and entered as requested based on availability. The schedule will not be changed except for an emergency. Lane assignments and times will be completed by the tournament manager(s). Any Team, Doubles or Singles event participants wishing to be scheduled at the same time and bowl on adjacent/same lanes will need to submit their entries in the same envelope or online at the same time, with a written request. If no request is received lanes assignments will be at the discretion of the tournament manager(s).
- Line-Up:** The line-up will be set as submitted on the entry form for each event.
- Lane Conditioning:** Lanes will be conditioned before Team Event and Doubles Event.
- Slow Bowling:** All bowlers are expected to be up and ready to bowl when it is their turn. Squad durations include practice and should be completed in the following time allowance - Team event 3 hours 20 minutes, Doubles & Singles event 2 hours 30 minutes. Slow bowlers will be advised to speed up.
- Awards:** 100% of all prize monies will be returned. Prize checks will be issued within Thirty (30) days after the close of the tournament. Prize checks will be mailed to each participant or hand-delivered to the person who submitted the entry. The prize listing will be posted online at www.utahbowling.org.
- USBC Queens Tournament Award:** Paid entry into Scratch All Events is not required to be eligible. Only (1) paid entry into the **2022** Queens Tournament will be awarded to the individual female with the highest, **over ALL Divisions**, All Events Scratch score. If the overall 1st place winner declines it will be offered to the overall 2nd place winner. If both decline then no participant will be sent. In the event of an overall tie, the participant with the highest (3) game series scratch within the (9) game set will be offered the entry to the Queens Tournament. The same set will hold for overall 2nd place if needed. The winner will have the option to choose the Senior Queens event if they meet the age requirement to participate.
- Prize Ratio:** To be determined based on entries received, minimum payout will be 1 in 10 for each event. In the event of first place ties, co-champions will be declared and prize money will be divided. In the event of last place ties, extra money will be added.
- Protest:** Any protest affecting eligibility or general playing rules must be confirmed **in writing** to the tournament manager within 72 hours of tournament close. Errors in scoring must be reported at the time the error is entered. Unexpected situations will be handled by the tournament management.
- Dress Code:** Participants are expected to wear attire suitable and representative of participation in a state championship event. Participants will be required to change if attire is deemed inappropriate by tournament management or designee. If you read this rule check-in with Bobbie, Marnye, Dale, or Maureen at the tournament. Tournament management or designee decisions will be final. **There are no exceptions.**
- Conduct:** Participants are responsible for their conduct and the conduct of their spectators/attendees attending with the participants. Tournament officials have the right to disqualify and have removed from the premises any bowler(s) or remove an individual(s) whose conduct is derogatory or detrimental to the best interests of the tournament. No unreasonable delay in the progress of any game is permitted. **(USBC rule 11)**
- Liability:** The entrants whose names appear thereon or their authorized replacements hereby agree that the Utah State USBC (USUSBC), its officers or agents shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fee, if and when these entrants shall be prevented from bowling any event in the tournament through delay, unexpected yet necessary schedule change or premature termination of the tournament, which may be brought about by war, national emergency or emergencies of cause relating thereto or resulting therefrom, fire, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond its control.
- Entry Submission Dates:** **Online Entry has immediate confirmation of dates and time – paper entry IS NOT guaranteed.** Online and paper entry will close when tournament is filled or by April 26, 2021

Walk-ins must arrive and register at least (1) hour before squad start time and will only be accepted if schedule permits and space is available.