

71st ANNUAL MID-HUDSON USBC CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

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Tarsio Lanes 173 South Plank Rd. Rt. 52, Newburgh, NY



**ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BE
MEMBERS OF THE MID-HUDSON USBC**

HANDICAP 80% of 240

Open and Womens Tournament Will Run Separate (Women Are Eligible For Open Division Separate Application Is Required)

Check in time 30 minutes before squad times

Open Division Application

Womens Division Application

FOUR BOWLER TEAM EVENT

<i>February 20th</i>		<i>February 28th</i>	
<i>Saturday</i>		<i>Sunday</i>	
12:30 PM		12:30 PM	
3:30 PM		3:30 PM	

**CLOSING DATE
FOR ENTRIES**

**SUNDAY
February 14th**

DOUBLES & SINGLES EVENTS

<i>February 21st</i>		<i>February 27th</i>	
<i>Sunday</i>		<i>Saturday</i>	
12:30 PM		12:30 PM	
3:30 PM		3:30 PM	

WRITE CHOICE "1" & "2" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOXES

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	Four Bowler Team Entry Use Full Name - Complete All Spaces Order Listed WILL Be Order You Bowl In	2008 - 2009			Check Senior Event
		Highest Avg.	Sport Avg.	USBC Card Number	
1					\$10 <input type="checkbox"/>
2					\$10 <input type="checkbox"/>
3					\$10 <input type="checkbox"/>
4					\$10 <input type="checkbox"/>

Team Event \$80.00
Doubles Event \$40.00
Singles Event \$20.00
All-Events \$5.00
Senior Event (New) \$10.00
(age 55 > Highest 3 game series)

**IF NO 2008-2009 MID-HUDSON OR NEWBURGH WOMENS ASSC. BOOK AVERAGE
USE CURRENT AVERAGE AS OF January 1, 2010 (21 GAME MIN.)
HIGHEST SPORTS AVERAGE MUST BE INCLUDED**

EACH EVENT \$20.00 PER PERSON
EXCEPT SENIOR & ALL-EVENTS
**ALL MONIES MUST BE
SUBMITTED WITH ENTRY**

	Doubles & Singles No Split Entry - Must Bowl Both Events Order Listed WILL Be Order You Bowl In	2008 - 2009			Check For All Events	Check For Senior Event
		Highest Avg.	Sport Avg.	USBC Card Number		
1					\$5 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$10 <input type="checkbox"/>
2					\$5 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$10 <input type="checkbox"/>
1					\$5 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$10 <input type="checkbox"/>
2					\$5 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$10 <input type="checkbox"/>

Payable to:
Mid-Hudson USBC
Mail to:
Melinda Young
673 Ardonia Rd
Wallkill, NY 12589
(845) 564-1911

**** IT SHALL BE EACH BOWLERS RESPONSIBILITY TO VERIFY THE ACCURACY OF THEIR AVERAGE
WHETHER ORIGINALLY SUBMITTED BY THE BOWLER, CAPTAIN OR OTHERS.**

TEAM NAME	CAPTAIN						
ADDRESS	PHONE						
CITY	ZIP CODE						
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TOURNAMENT RULES AND INFORMATION

GENERAL RULES

All entries in this tournament must be made in accordance with U.S.B.C. Rules. All entrants must be sanctioned through a league of the Mid-Hudson USBC prior to the start of the tournament. No sanctions will be made through the tournament and/or by the tournament director.

Any team or individual entered in this tournament failing to appear on the lanes when scheduled to bowl, shall forfeit the entry unless the Tournament Manager finds sufficient reason for granting postponement.

Any team or individual arriving late shall begin play with the score to count from the frame then being bowled. It is agreed, that in the event that circumstances beyond control of the Mid-Hudson USBC shall arise before or during the scheduled tournament thereby causing the cancellation or suspension of the tournament in part or in its entirety, the Mid-Hudson USBC shall make payment of the prorated prize list based on the number of teams and individuals who have bowled up to the time of suspension or cancellation of the tournament plus the return of the complete entry fees to those teams and individuals who have not bowled.

HANDICAP RULES

A handicap based on 80% of the difference between each bowler's highest U.S.B.C. league average for the 2008-2009 winter season and the tournament scratch score of 240 will be allowed in each event of the tournament. If at the opening of this tournament, February 20, 2010, a bowler's average is 10 pins or more higher than their 2008-2009 average for 21 or more games, it must be reported to the Tournament Management and they will be handicapped on that average.

Team handicaps for the Four-Bowlers event will be computed by adding the individual handicaps of the four bowlers entered. Likewise, handicaps for the Doubles event will be computed by adding the handicaps of the two bowlers entered.

When an injury, an emergency or for another reason it may require a change in line-up after a game has started, U.S.B.C. Rule 324B will prevail with proper handicap changes being made by the Tournament Management. When a substitute enters a game already in progress, the handicaps of the original entrant and the substitute will be prorated on a frame-by-frame basis.

Bowlers with no previous (2008-2009) winter season average will use their highest current Mid-Hudson U.S.B.C. league average for 21 or more games as of January 1, 2010.

U.S.B.C. Rule 319C regarding average requirements, shall apply to bowlers who have bowled in tournaments during the previous 12 months.

Rule 202d. Sport to Standard Tournament. A bowler is required to submit his/her adjusted Sport Bowling league average utilizing the USBC Average Adjustment Scale (see Rule 202a) in tournaments that use composite averages for entering and/or handicap purposes.

LANE ASSIGNMENTS

Lanes will be assigned by the Tournament Committee after closing date and prior to the start of the tournament

SUBSTITUTES

The captain of a team, or their representative, shall have the privilege of substituting other qualified bowlers to take the place of those originally entered, subject to the approval of the Tournament Management. The substitute, if accepted, must bowl under their own name and at the scheduled time for each event.

No substitutes will be accepted for All-Events prize participation where any one event or portion of an event has been bowled by the original entrant or substitute. Any substitutions for the entire All-Events category must be brought to the attention of the Tournament Manager prior to any games bowled in order to be eligible for prize money.

PRIZES

There shall be cash prizes for the high scores, net and handicap, in each event. A bowler who qualifies for a prize of equal value in both the handicap and net divisions in the same event, will be awarded the net prize.

In the event of ties for first place in any event, the contestants so tied shall roll three games at such time and place as shall be decided by the Tournament Manager. Total scores for three games decide the winner. Ties for any other position qualified for prizes shall be equally divided for all the positions in which they are tied.

U.S.B.C. Championship Chevrons will be awarded to both high net and high handicap winner in all events of this tournament.

Prizes will be awarded in all five events of the tournament on the basis of net and handicap scores. Only those entrants who pay the fee of \$5.00 qualify for participation in the All-Events or \$10.00 for Senior Event Prize Fund.

PRIZE RATIO: ONE FOR EACH TEN ENTRIES EXCEPT "ALL-EVENTS" WHICH WILL BE ONE FOR EACH 20 ENTRIES.

ENTRIES IN EACH EVENT

Entrants may bowl more than once in the team event, subject to U.S.B.C. Rule 315.

Four-Bowlers Team Event. No more than two players on the same team can place more than once in the prize list for position standings. A bowler participating more than once in the team event **must** count the first score for All-Events.

A bowler may only bowl **once** in doubles and singles.

Senior Event: Open to bowler's 55 and over, shall consist of bowler's highest three game series

DOUBLES ENTRANTS MUST BE ENTERED IN SINGLES
SINGLES ENTRANTS MUST BE ENTERED IN DOUBLES

ENTRY FEE BREAKDOWN

	<u>Team</u>	<u>Doubles</u>	<u>Singles</u>	<u>All Events</u>	<u>Senior</u>
PRIZE FEES	40.00	20.00	10.00	4.50	9.50
EXPENSE FEES	40.00	20.00	10.00	.50	.50
TOTAL	80.00	40.00	20.00	5.00	10.00