

**52ND ANNUAL
VIRGINIA STATE USBC
YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP
2017**

**TOURNAMENT CERTIFICATION 4639
A CLASSIFIED HANDICAP CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT**

**JUNE—JULY
2017**

CERTIFIED BY: USBC YOUTH DIVISION

*****OPTIONAL HANDICAP & SCRATCH ALL EVENTS****

***** BUMPER SINGLES EVENT*****

DOUBLES & SINGLES EVENT

**LEE HI LANES
1830 APPERSON DRIVE
SALEM, VA 24153
540-389-0000**

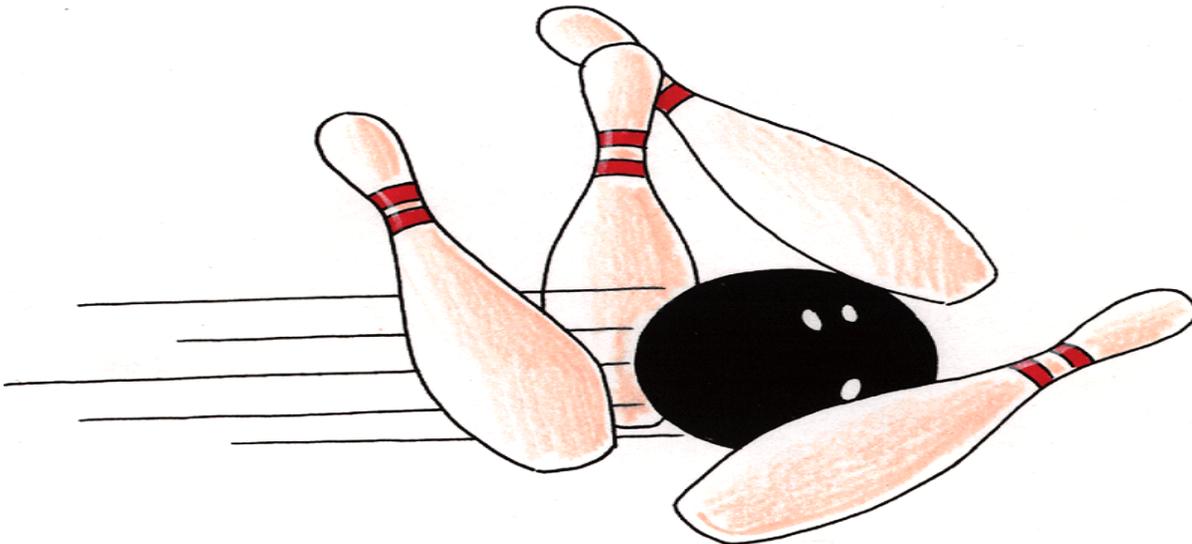
TEAM EVENT/BUMPER SINGLES

**ROCKY MOUNT BOWLING CENTER
1555 NORTH MAIN STREET
ROCKY MOUNT, VA 24151
540-483-8088**

**OPENING DATE FOR ENTRIES: MARCH 1, 2017
CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: MAY 1, 2017**

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING RULES

- 1. THE TOURNAMENT IS AN ALL SCHOLARSHIP EVENT.**
- 2. MAKE THE MONEY ORDER OR CASHIER'S CHECK OUT TO THE VSUSBC YOUTH STATE TOURNAMENT.**
- 3. THE BOWLING CENTERS DO NOT ALLOW HATS OR HEADGEAR WORN BY BOWLERS DURING SQUAD TIMES.**
- 4. PLEASE ADVISE THE BOWLERS OF THE DRESS CODE: ALL BOWLING SHIRTS MUST HAVE SLEEVES AND MUST MEET THE WAIST BAND OF THE BOWLER'S SHORTS, SKIRT OR SLACKS. IF WEARING SHORTS THEY MUST BE AT LEAST HALF WAY TO THE KNEE—NO SHORT SHORTS. WE ASK THAT THE BOWLING SHIRT NOT BE LOW CUT.**
- 5. ACCEPTANCE OF ENTRIES WILL BEGIN ON MARCH 1, 2017 AND END ON MAY 1, 2017. AVERAGE WILL BE TAKEN AS OF FEBRUARY 23, 2017 FOR 21 GAMES OR MORE, IF NONE— AVERAGES AS OF APRIL 13, 2017 FOR 21 GAMES OR MORE, IF NONE—A BOWLER MAY USE THEIR 2016 SUMMER LEAGUE AVERAGE FOR 21 GAMES OR MORE, IF NONE - AN AVERAGE OF 200 WILL BE ASSIGNED. WE WILL NOT BE USING BOOK AVERAGE.**
- 6. ENTRY FEES WILL BE 25.00 PER PERSON PER EVENT FOR TEAM, DOUBLES AND SINGLES, BUMPER SINGLES. \$6.00 PER PERSON FOR THE HANDICAP ALL EVENTS AND \$10.00 FOR THE SCRATCH ALL EVENTS.**
- 7. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU FILL OUT THE BOWLER INFO ON THE ENTRY FORM—ESPECIALLY THE BOWLER'S ID NUMBER.**
- 8. DO NOT SEND YOUR ENTRIES WHERE I MUST SIGN FOR THEM.**
- 9. IF BOWLERS SHOW UP AT THE WRONG CENTER THEY MAY ASK TO BOWL ON A LATER SQUAD.**
- 10. THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR HAS THE RIGHT TO ADD SQUADS TO THE TOURNAMENT. NO SQUADS CAN BE ADDED AFTER THE LAST SQUAD ON THE LAST DAY OF THE TOURNAMENT.**
- 11. FINAL STANDINGS WILL BE POSTED ON THE WEBSITE: VIRGINIA STATE USBC**
www.virginiastateusbc.com



52ND ANNUAL VIRGINIA STATE USBC YOUTH TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION

TEAM NAME _____ CENTER NAME _____

 LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____ INT: _____ TEAM POSITION _____
 STREET ADDRESS: _____ 1
 CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____ DBLS POSITION _____
 PHONE NO: _____ BIRTHDAY: _____ GENDER: M F PLEASE CIRCLE _____
 CERTIFICATION NO: _____ AVG: (2/23) _____ (4/13) _____ SUMMER _____ 1A 1B OR 2A 2B
 YEAR OF GRADUATION _____ HANDICAP A/E Y OR N SCRATCH A/E Y OR N BUMPER BOWLER

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____ INT: _____ TEAM POSITION _____
 STREET ADDRESS: _____ 2
 CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____ DBLS POSITION _____
 PHONE NO: _____ BIRTHDAY: _____ GENDER: M F PLEASE CIRCLE _____
 CERTIFICATION NO: _____ AVG: (2/23) _____ (4/13) _____ SUMMER _____ 1A 1B OR 2A 2B
 YEAR OF GRADUATION _____ HANDICAP A/E Y OR N SCRATCH A/E Y OR N BUMPER BOWLER

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____ INT: _____ TEAM POSITION _____
 STREET ADDRESS: _____ 3
 CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____ DBLS POSITION _____
 PHONE NO: _____ BIRTHDAY: _____ GENDER: M F PLEASE CIRCLE _____
 CERTIFICATION NO: _____ AVG: (2/23) _____ (4/13) _____ SUMMER _____ 1A 1B OR 2A 2B
 YEAR OF GRADUATION _____ HANDICAP A/E Y OR N SCRATCH A/E Y OR N BUMPER BOWLER

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____ INT: _____ TEAM POSITION _____
 STREET ADDRESS: _____ 4
 CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____ DBLS POSITION _____
 PHONE NO: _____ BIRTHDAY: _____ GENDER: M F PLEASE CIRCLE _____
 CERTIFICATION NO: _____ AVG: (2/23) _____ (4/13) _____ SUMMER _____ 1A 1B OR 2A 2B
 YEAR OF GRADUATION _____ HANDICAP A/E Y OR N SCRATCH A/E Y OR N BUMPER BOWLER

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____ INT: _____ DBLS POSITION _____
 STREET ADDRESS: _____ PLEASE CIRCLE _____
 CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____ 1A 1B OR 2A 2B
 PHONE NO: _____ BIRTHDAY: _____ GENDER: M F
 CERTIFICATION NO: _____ AVG: (2/23) _____ (4/13) _____ SUMMER _____
 YEAR OF GRADUATION _____ HANDICAP A/E Y OR N SCRATCH A/E Y OR N BUMPER BOWLER

COACH:
 LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____ INT: _____
 STREET ADDRESS: _____
 CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____
 PHONE NO: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

FINAL STANDINGS WILL BE POSTED ON THE WEBSITE WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THE TOURNAMENT

TEAM EVENT/BUMPER SINGLES LEAVE BLANK:
 ROCKY MOUNT LANES (540) 483-8088 TEAM SCHEDULED DATE: _____ TIME: _____
 1555 NORTH MAIN STREET BUMPER SINGLES SCHEDULED DATE: _____ TIME: _____
 ROCKY MOUNT, VA 24151

SAT: 6/17 6/24 7/01 TIME: 9AM 1:30 PM	TEAM DATE: _____ TIME: _____	BUMPER SINGLES DATE: _____ TIME: _____
SUN: 6/18 6/25 7/02 TIME: 9AM 1:30 PM	DATE: _____ TIME: _____	DATE: _____ TIME: _____

DOUBLES & SINGLES LEAVE BLANK:
 LEE HI LANES (540) 389-0000 DOUBLES/SINGLES SCHEDULED DATE: _____ TIME: _____
 1830 APPERSON DRIVE
 SALEM, VA 24153

SAT: 6/17 6/24 7/01 TIME: 9AM 1:30 PM	DOUBLES & SINGLES DATE: _____ TIME: _____	1A & 1B ARE DOUBLES PARTNERS
SUN: 6/18 6/25 7/02 TIME: 9AM 1:30 PM	DATE: _____ TIME: _____	2A & 2B ARE DOUBLES PARTNERS

COST PER BOWLER:

	TEAM	DOUBLES	SINGLES	HANDICAP ALL EVENTS	SCRATCH ALL EVENTS	BUMPER SINGLES
BOWLING FEE:	\$ 7.50	\$10.00	\$10.00			\$ 5.00
EXPENSE FEE:	\$ 4.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00	\$ 4.00
SCHOLARSHIP FUND:	<u>\$13.50</u>	<u>\$11.00</u>	<u>\$11.00</u>	<u>\$ 5.00</u>	<u>\$ 9.00</u>	<u>\$16.00</u>
TOTAL:	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$ 6.00	\$10.00	\$25.00

1. The Annual Virginia State USBC Youth Tournament is open to any certified USBC youth bowler within the jurisdiction of the Virginia State Alliance. Bowlers **MUST** bowl in a league that is certified through the State Alliance and averages must come from these leagues. Averages from outside the State Alliance will not be used. Bowlers must have USBC youth membership cards before entry into the tournament.
2. Tournament will consist of a 4 bowler team event (team), 2 bowler team event (doubles), an individual event (singles) and a bumper individual event (singles). Teams may consist of any combination of bowlers. A bowler may enter the Team event only, the Singles and Doubles event only or all three. Bowlers must bowl both the Singles and Doubles events to be able to bowl in either one. The bowler bowling in the bumper singles must be a bowler in a bumper league.
 - 2a. The first Team, Doubles and Singles event will go towards All-events.
 - 2b. Scholarships will be awarded on a basis of at least 1 for every 10 entries in the Team, Doubles and Singles and Bumper Singles. All-events at least 1 for every 10 entries will be given both in the optional handicap division and the optional scratch division. Scholarship money will be held in the SMART Program at bowling headquarters. The account number is #9302.
3. Averages will be taken as of February 23, 2017 Bowlers bowling in more than one league **MUST** use their highest average for 21 games or more. Bowlers who do not have an average as of this date may use their highest average as of April 13, 2017 for 21 games or more, if none the bowler may use their 2016 summer average for 21 games or more. If none of the above then the bowler must bowl with a 200 average. Handicap will be based on an average of 230. **Averages must be from a league certified in the VSUSBC ASSOCIATION - YOUTH DIVISION.**
4. **AN AVERAGE SHEET FOR ALL LEAGUES WITH FULL NAMES, TOTAL PINS, NUMBER OF GAMES AND AVERAGES MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH ENTRY FORM.**
5. The bowler's coach (coach only) must sign the entry form certifying that the bowler is USBC Youth certified and that the average on the entry form is correct.
6. Entry fees are \$25 per event (team, doubles, singles and bumper singles). There is a \$6 entry fee for the handicap and/a \$10 entry fee for the scratch all-events. All entry fees must accompany the entry form. Fees not paid in full will be returned and the entry will be declared void. **MONEY ORDER OR CASHIER'S CHECK ONLY AND MADE OUT TO VSUSBC YOUTH STATE TOURNAMENT.** No entry fee will be returned after confirmation letter has been accepted. All entries must be completed with a full complement of names and addresses. Entries without such completion will be returned.
7. **All bowlers will bowl three games in each of the following events: Team, Singles and Doubles.** A bowler may bowl only once in the Singles event. A bowler may sub in the Team and Doubles event as many times as needed. **Bowlers in the Bumper Singles will bowl 2 games.** A bowler may bowl only once in the Bumper Singles event.
8. Bowlers may bowl all games in one day provided there is an open shift between the Team event and the Singles and Doubles event. If the tournament is held in one center this rule does not apply.
9. Singles will be bowled first followed by the doubles event. There will be no break or changing of lanes between the events.
10. **ALL BOWLERS WILL WEAR PROPER ATTIRE: BOWLING SHIRTS MUST HAVE SLEEVES AND MUST GO OVER THE WAIST BAND OF YOUR SLACKS, SKIRT OR SHORTS SO AS TO PREVENT EXPOSURE OF THE MIDRIF. IF WEARING SHORTS OR SKIRTS THEY MUST REACH HALF WAY TO THE KNEE. WE ASK THAT THE BOWLING SHIRTS NOT TO BE LOW CUT- NO SHORT SHORTS. THE BOWLING CENTERS DO NOT ALLOW HATS OR HEADGEAR WORN BY BOWLERS DURING SQUAD TIMES.** A committee of three coaches will be appointed by the house directors to determine if the bowler's outfit is acceptable. **Bowlers may need to change or be disqualified pending their decision.**
11. Handicaps will be computed based on 100% of the difference of the individual average and 230. The tournament will be divided into 3 class divisions.

	CLASS 3	CLASS 2	CLASS 1
TEAM	519 & UNDER	520 - 679	680 & ABOVE
DOUBLES	259 & UNDER	260 - 339	340 & ABOVE
SINGLES	129 & UNDER	130 - 169	170 & ABOVE
BUMPER SINGLES	ALL AVERAGES		
12. **LATE BOWLERS WILL RECEIVE NO SCORES FOR FRAMES MISSED.** This applies during a game as well as in the beginning **IF BOWLERS SHOW UP AT THE WRONG CENTER THEY MAY ASK TO BOWL ON A LATER SQUAD.**
13. Teams and Doubles will bowl in the order listed on the original entry form. Substitutes will be permitted only in the same line-up position. Violators of this rule will be disqualified for that event. No changes will be made except by the tournament committee.
14. Substitutes must check into the tournament office at least 1 hour prior to the scheduled bowling time. Team captains check in at least 45 minutes before scheduled bowling time if there are no substitutes. Should the average of the substitute change the class division of an entry, the entry will be reclassified automatically.
15. Any appeal or protest regarding the tournament must be confirmed in writing within 72 hours after the decision is made. If no written protest is entered prior to the 72 hour period, the decision will stand.
16. Acceptance of entries begin **MARCH 1, 2017** and the closing date for all entries will be **MAY 1, 2017.**
17. The tournament manager has the right to add squads to the tournament. No squads can be added after the last squad time posted on the last day of the tournament.
18. Members of the USBC youth division who conduct themselves in a manner not within the standards expected of youth bowlers while en route to, while in or en route from the tournament city shall be suspended immediately. They shall be disqualified from further participation in the tournament and reported to USBC youth division for formal suspension.
19. USBC rules will govern any situation not covered by these rules.
20. Final standings will be posted on the Virginia State website: **virginia state usbc.com**

Host Hotel:

Holiday Inn Tanglewood
4468 Starkey Road
Roanoke, VA 24018
Telephone # (888) 233-9450
Room Rate: \$89.00 plus tax

Other Hotels in the Roanoke Area

Comfort Inn Airport
5070 Valley View Blvd.
Roanoke, VA 24012
Telephone # (540) 527-2020

Main Street Suites
5080 Valley View Blvd.
Roanoke, VA 24012
Telephone # (800) 230-4134

Holiday Inn
3315 Ordway Dr
Roanoke, VA 24017
Telephone # (855) 809-3505

Best Western Plus Inn at Valley View
5050 Valley View Blvd.
Roanoke, VA 24012
Telephone # (888) 253-1628

Sheraton
2801 Hershberger Road
Roanoke, VA 24017
Telephone # (540) 563-9300

Quality Inn
6626 Thirlane Rd
Roanoke, VA
Telephone # (540) 366-8861

When making reservations please mention that you are with the
Virginia State Youth Bowling Tournament