



*Chicagoland
Annual Youth
Adult Junior Tournament*



Re: 2010 Adult/Junior Tournament In-House Qualifier

Dear Junior League Coach:

Enclosed you will find the entry forms for the Annual Chicagoland USBC Adult/Junior Pins-Over-Average Tournament In-House Qualifier. Please make copies of the entry forms (front & back) as needed.

We are asking for full participation from each member junior league. We are also asking that the rules be followed as listed on the Tournament Rules. Listed are several problems from previous years:

1. Certified Adult Bowlers - *Entry forms were submitted for adult bowlers not certified with USBC for the current league season. **Please review Rule No. 3 on the Tournament Rules.*** If the adult bowled in the 2008/2009 league season but is not bowling in the 2009/2010 league season, he/she must purchase an unattached membership card. The fee and membership card must be submitted with the entry form or the entry will be disqualified.
2. Completed Verification on back of Entry Form – Please make sure the Verification Form is completed before entry forms are submitted. If Adults are bowling with more than one child, only one original verification form is needed. Just indicate on the back which entry form that the verification is completed on. *Example: Verification is on Entry for Junior Bowler John Smith, Jr.*
3. Junior Bowlers 2008/2009 Book Average – *Please review Rule No. 5.* The Junior Bowlers will use their 2008/2009 Book Average unless their January 2, 2010 average is 10 or more pins higher. Junior Bowlers who were Pee Wee bowlers last season will use their current average as of January 2, 2010.
4. Adults that were bowling with more than one child at a time, this is not allowed. One method we used was to announce during adult league play the time and date of the in-house qualifier and asked for interested adults to come and bowl with a junior bowler.
5. Submitting entry forms *only* for the highest team per division per category. This is not the format. **Entry Forms and fees must be submitted for everyone participating** in the in-house qualifier, not just for teams advancing.
6. Most important, **DO NOT SEND CASH**, please send a check or money order with completed entries to **Chicagoland USBC Association, Youth Committee, 4415 W. Harrison – Suite 200, Hillside, Illinois 60162**. All entries **MUST** be postmarked no later than **March 6, 2010**.
7. Please explain to your parents on how the bowlers advancing to the finals are selected. One in every 5 entries per categories and tournament division will advance to the finals. Example: If you have 5 bowlers in the Prep – Women with girl, one entry will advance to the finals. If you had 6 bowlers in the category you would have two advances to the finals.

Remember, if you should have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (773) 238-9678 or email at miller@ameritech.net.

Sincerely,

Dolores Miller
Tournament Director
Chicagoland USBC Adult/Junior Bowling Tournament



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Tournament Director: **Dolores Miller (773)-238-9678**

Categories: *(Circle One Category)* Ages are as of August 2, 2009

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|--|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Bantam
8 yrs of age and under | 2. Prep
9, 10 & 11 yrs | 3. Junior
12, 13 & 14 yrs | 4. Major Senior
15 thru 19 yrs |
|--|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|

Qualifying Dates: February 1, 2010 thru February 28, 2010 **Finals:** March 21st, & 28th, 2010
Finals Will be Held At: AMF Classic Lanes, 3201 E. End Ave., Chicago Heights, IL 708-754-4210

Tournament Division: *(Circle One Division)*

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Woman with girl | 2. Man with girl | 3. Woman with boy | 4. Man with boy |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|

Name of Establishment: _____

A. Name of Coach: _____ **Phone:** (____) _____

B. Adult Bowler: _____ **Avg:** _____ **USBC #** _____

Address: _____ **Zip:** _____ **Phone:** (____) _____

C. Junior Bowler: _____ **Avg:** _____ **USBC #** _____

Address: _____ **Zip:** _____ **Phone:** (____) _____

Junior Bowler's age as of August 2, 2009 _____ **Junior's Birthday:** ____/____/____

The preliminary round **Entry Fee is \$7.00** per team *(returned 100% of the prize fund portion)* plus cost of bowling rates at prevailing establishments. Cost for all teams advancing to finals will be **\$7.50 per Person or \$15.00 per Team**, payable before scheduled finals squad date.

*Pins over average scoring system will be used. Adult bowlers **MUST** have their league(s) secretary complete the reverse side of this entry prior to bowling the in-house preliminary round.*

RESULTS

*** THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY THE DESIGNATED JUNIOR LEAGUE COACH ONLY ***

Target score: Combined averages _____ times three (3) _____

NAMES: 1st Junior - 2nd Adult

	1 st GAME	2 nd GAME	3 rd GAME	SERIES
1.				
2.				

Pins over (+) or under (-) target score: _____

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.

DEADLINE: ALL ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 2010
SEND TO: Chicagoland USBC Association, Youth Committee, 4415 W. Harrison – Suite 200, Hillside, Illinois 60162



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AFFIDAVIT FOR ADULT AVERAGE VERIFICATION

1. **LEAGUE SECRETARIES** must fill in all the details and sign for verification.
2. **VERIFICATION** must be obtained from each certified league.
3. **ADULT BOWLERS** must sign below and provide their 2009/2010 USBC membership number.

This is to certify that my averages as of January 2, 2010 in each league of which I am a certified member are as follows:

# of Games	Total Pins	Average	League Name & Establishment	League Secretary's Signature

The above average(s) given are correct and the above league(s) are the only league(s) of which I am a certified member.

THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED OR THE ENTRY WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.

USBC # _____

ADULT BOWLER'S NAME: (PRINTED) _____

ADULT BOWLER'S SIGNATURE: _____

BOWLED WITH *(JUNIOR BOWLER'S NAME):* _____



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Tournament Director: **Dolores Miller (773) 238-9678**

Tournament Rules:

1. Doubles tournament one adult and one child.
2. The Tournament is open to all certified bowlers of junior bowling leagues certified with the USBC.
3. The Tournament is sanctioned by the United States Bowling Congress (USBC)
4. Any adult who is a certified bowler may bowl. Any other adult may bowl, but this would involve purchasing an USBC unattached card, fees are paid to the Adult/Junior Tournament Director.
5. Adult bowlers must use highest current certified league average as of January 2, 2010 minimum of 21 games **unless their 2008-2009 highest certified average, minimum of 21 games exceeds their current average by 10 pins or more.** If an adult has no current average, they may use their 2008-2009 season's highest certified league average of 21 games or more. Lacking a 2008-2009 or current season average, they may use their most recent recorded certified league average as far back as 2004-2005. The tournament director will assign any other adults an average of 180 for women and 200 for men.
6. USBC rule 319b will apply to ALL participants.
7. Junior bowlers will use book average unless this year's average as of January 2, 2010 minimum 15 games is 10 pins higher. If no book average, this year's average with a minimum of 15 games as of January 2, 2010 will be used. USBC Rule 319e is waived. **Coaches must SEND Standing Sheet as of that date.**
8. Entry fees: Adult bowling fee - existing fee of establishment
 Junior bowling fee - existing fee of establishment
 Expense fee - \$1.00 per team Awards fee - \$6.00 per team (returned 100% in awards)
9. Bowlers with the highest pins over average per categories and tournament division will advance to the finals, one out of every 5 per category and tournament division. Winning scores will be based upon **pins over averages.**
10. **Junior bowlers may bowl once with a female and once with a male partner.**
11. **Adult bowlers may enter as often as they wish but can only bowl with one junior bowler per three (3) games set.**
12. All teams in the tournament should bowl their three games on one pair of lanes with foul lights operational.
13. **An affidavit must be completed in full for each adult bowler and enclosed with official scorekeeper records and completed entry form together with USBC league standing sheets as of January 2, 2010. Incomplete applications will be disqualified.**
14. This event will be conducted in four (4) categories (bantam, prep, junior, and major-senior) and each category will be staged in four (4) divisions, namely, (1) women with girl, (2) man with girl, (3) woman with boy, (4) man with boy.
15. Awards will be awarded to the junior partner of winning teams, qualifying as 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, etc. Based on at least one for every ten (10) teams in a division.
16. Any bowler who has qualified for an award of \$300.00 or more in a tournament in the past twelve months must report that amount, score and position for possible re-rating.
17. Tournament management reserves the right to re-rate a bowler's average; such re-rating must be accomplished before the entrant bowls. However, if the bowler does not accept the re-rated average, the entry fee shall be refunded. Rule 319c.
18. It is the responsibility of each bowler to verify the accuracy of his or her average. Failure to use proper average shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than actual average. Rule 319a-3 any correction in average must be made up before the completion of first game of the finals.
19. Any rule not covered will be under the rules of USBC.
20. **Send Results To: Chicagoland USBC Association, Youth Committee, 4415 W. Harrison – Suite 200, Hillside, Illinois 60162. Before midnight, March 6, 2010** with remittances of \$7.00 for each team that participated at the preliminary level. **Make all checks payable to: Chicagoland USBC Association**

Each designated Coach of the participating Junior League will be notified the Adult/Junior Teams advancing to finals along with squad dates and times. Upon being notified, ***a total fee of \$15.00 per team must be collected and remitted to Chicagoland USBC Association, Youth Committee, 4415 W. Harrison – Suite 200, Hillside, Illinois 60162, before the scheduled Squad Date.***