

The **ELIMINATOR! \$cholarship** Bowling Tournament

Saturday, August 31, 2024

COOL FORMAT! *HUGE* \$CHOLARSHIPS! <u>LET'S BOWL</u>! 50% in each division advance to the Championship Round!

The **ELININATOR!** Scholarship Bowling Tournament Saturday, August 31, 2024 Anticipated 100+ Bowlers! SMART \$CHOLARSHIPS!

5 divisions: 18U boys, 18U girls, 15U boys, 15U girls, 12U mixed. See complete tournament details on Page 2





1238 N. Fairfield Road Beavercreek, OH 45432 *daytonbowling.com*

Schedule of Events

Saturday, August 31, 2024 All times Eastern & subject to on-site adjustments.Tournament Check-in (in tournament office behind lane 60):11:00 AM — 12:00 PMPractice:12:00 PM — 12:10 PMQualifying Round:12:10 PM — 3:30 PMChampionship Round:begins about 45 minutes after completion of Qualifying Round.

The **ELIMINATOR!** Tournament Rules

Entry Requirements: This is a scratch singles tournament operated by the Midwest USA \$cholarship Tournaments, LLC on Saturday, August 31, 2024. All athletes must be 18 years old or younger as of August 1, 2024. *This is an age-based tournament. Participants may be USBC youth or adult members.* Only USBC members will be eligible for a SMART scholarship award, if earned. Non USBC members may purchase a basic 2024-2025 USBC membership for \$4.00 on site. Tournament Manager: Greg Coulles, 937.602.1475. E-mail: mwusa300@gmail.com. *Site Info*: Beaver-Vu Bowl, 1238 N. Fairfield Rd., Beavercreek (Dayton), OH 45432. Entries & final results posted on 3 sites: *daytonbowling.com, ohsb.org*, and jtba.com.

Tournament Format: There will be 5 separate divisions in this tournament; 18U boys, 18U girls, 15U boys, 15U girls & a 12U mixed division. If fewer than 4 entries in the 12U division, those bowlers will be placed in the 15U division. The age of the bowler on August 1, 2024 will determine the bowler's division. Bowlers are allowed to move up in age division, if desired. **Qualifying Round**: All athletes will bowl a 4-game Qualifying Round. All ties for advancement to the Championship Round will be broken based on the high game(s) rolled in the Qualifying Round. **Championship Round**: The top fifty percent (50%) of the bowlers in each division, based on the 4-game series score from the Qualifying Round, will advance to Game 1 of the Championship Round. The scores from the Qualifying Round will be dropped. The Championship Round will consist of games bowled against the field in each division with bowlers "eliminated" after each game. The field in each division will be reduced after each Championship Round game. The number of bowlers advancing to game 2 and subsequent Championship Round games will be announced on-site based on the number of advancers in each division. **Ties:** Ties for the last advancing position in any Championship Round game will be broken by a 9th/10th frame roll-off. **Placement**: Final tournament standings in the Championship Round will be based on the score rolled by a bowler in their last Championship Round game.

Cost: Entry fee: \$80.00. For entries received after 9:00 PM Thursday, August 29, 2024: the entry fee is \$90.00. Optional high game scholarship jackpots will be available in the tournament office.

Scholarship Management: No fewer than 1:6 bowlers in each division will earn a SMART scholarship. There will be no cash awards, only SMART scholarships. Scholarship funds awarded will be sent to the USBC SMART Program for management/dispersal. Account #08871.

Dress Code/Behavior: A collared shirt, or a mock-collared shirt made of "Dri-Mesh" or "Rapid-Dry" type material is required. The athlete's name on the shirt is not required. Pants, capris, skorts, skirts, walking shorts are allowed (index finger minimum length). No jeans or hats. <u>Electronic</u> <u>devices</u> (cell phones, entertainment sources) must not be in use and turned off during competition. Athletes are expected to be professional in appearance, reflecting the high caliber of scratch tournament bowling anticipated. Abuse of equipment, foul or disruptive language/gestures, and/or inappropriate behavior by bowlers or spectators are cause for the non-refundable dismissal from participation or attendance at this tournament. All bowling equipment must meet USBC equipment specifications. The use of powder, slide "stones", or any foreign substance on shoes, the approach, or on the facility floor or carpet (including Easy-Slide) is not permitted. The current USBC regs regarding equipment will be enforced. Only participating athletes and scorekeepers are permitted in the bowling area.

Empowerment: The Tournament Manager has the right to refuse any entry. The athlete, by voluntary participation in this tournament, acquiesces to the final authority of the Tournament Manager to make on-site changes and interpret and enforce all tournament rules, regulations, and procedures. Any unforeseen or not described situation will be regulated by USBC rules with interpretive judgment guided by the best interests of bowling and this event.





2 **GREAT** Tournaments...1 **BIG** weekend!

Saturday, August 31st

What is The *ELIMINATOR!* Tournament?

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For over 18 years, The *ELIMINATOR!* Tournament has been designed to offer rewarding competition for the experienced tournament bowler while also providing a fair playing field for the new, younger bowler. This event offers an opportunity for 50% of the bowlers to advance to the Championship Round and an easier advancement to the final match through a "field" play format instead of traditional head-to-head competition (see Format, Pg. 2).

The *ELIMINATOR!* Tournament offers generous SMART scholarships making the *ELIMINATOR!* a lucrative favorite of competitive youth bowlers throughout the Midwest USA.

Sunday, September 1st

What is The **JTBA**?

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For over 40 years, The *JTBA* (Junior Tournament Bowler's Association) has fielded the best bowlers throughout Ohio and the Midwest United States. Youth bowlers with JTBA experience on their resume have advanced into the college, Team USA, and professional levels of our sport.

Along with the *ELIMINATOR!* The JTBA Dayton Open will pack a strong 1-2 weekend opportunity for any youth bowler to build their resume and test their skills against a talented field of bowlers. Check out the JTBA at jtba.com



Tournament Site: Beaver-Vu Bowl 1238 N. Fairfield Road Beavercreek, OH 45432 daytonbowling.com Questions? E-mail: mwusa300@gmail.com Greg Coulles, Tournament Manager 937.602.1475

Entry Fee: \$80.00 (if paid entry received by 9:00 PM Thurs. Aug. 29, 2024.)

Walk-in entry fee: \$90.00 (if received after 9:00 PM Thurs. Aug. 29, 2024 or at tournament check-in.

SAVE MONEY! REGISTER EARLY!!

ELIMINATOR! Tournament Entry Form

The easy way: type this form online at *daytonbowling.com* print it, and submit with payment. <u>All</u> information below is required to process scholarship awards. If we can't read it, you're <u>NOT</u> registered. Preferred: You can E-mail a PDF credit/debit card paid entry to: mwusa300@gmail.com.

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