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College coaches are asking: "Who are the best boy & girl bowlers in Ohio?"

Let's show them!

A bowling scholarship opportunity for:

The 12th Annual Ohio 9th-12th Grade Singles Championships!

9th & 10th Grade Saturday, March 19, 2016 11th & 12th Grade Sunday, March 20, 2016

A Championship event open to <u>EVERY</u> 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grade boy and girl in Ohio. Separate grade & gender divisions. Over \$10,000.00 in SMART scholarships awarded last year.



Who will be crowned the top bowlers by grade & gender in Ohio for 2015-2016?



Location: HP Lanes 2012 Innis Rd. Columbus, OH 43224

Championship Tournament Rules

<u>Entry Requirements</u>: This is a USBC-certified singles tournament (#05304) operated by the Youth Bowler's Tournament Association and managed by the Ohio High School Bowling Program. This tournament is open to every 9th, 10th, 11th, & 12th grade student with legal, permanent residence in the State of Ohio. *A bowler does not have to be a member of a high school bowling team to participate in this tournament.*

Tournament Organization: These Championships will be conducted at HP Lanes, 2012 Innis Rd., Columbus, OH 43224. Phone: 614.267.0321. The 9th & 10th grade Championships will be conducted on Saturday, March 19, 2016 and the 11th & 12th grade Championships will be conducted on Sunday, March 20, 2016. Check-in for both tournaments on both dates begins at 10:00 AM. and tournament bowling begins about 11:00 A.M. This tournament will have four (4) separate divisions: high school freshman, sophomores, juniors, and seniors. Each division will have separate boy and girl sub-divisions. Athletes will be placed in divisions based on their 2015-2016 school grade and gender. Each tournament will limit participation to the first 192 paid entries received on a 1st come-1st served basis based on the postmark date of the entry. Walk-in's (entries received the day of the tournament) will be allowed subject to lane availability and will be assessed a late processing fee.

Tournament Format: Qualifying Round: Athletes in each division will bowl five (5) games of ten pin bowling, moving pairs after each game. The top eight (8) bowlers in each grade & gender division, based on their five (5) game Qualifying Round score, will advance to the Championship Round. Ties for advancement to the Championship Round and seed placement in the Championship Round will be broken based on the high game rolled in the five (5) game Qualifying Round. Ties for the final advancer to the Championship Round (8th place) will be broken by a 9th/10th frame roll-off. Championship Round: The eight (8) advancers to the Championship Round will be placed in a head-to-head, single game elimination bracket advancing until a champion is determined. Ties in any Championship Round match will be broken by a 9th/10th frame roll-off with the higher seed determining the starting lane and the lower seed determining who bowls 1st. Additional: All scoring will be conducted on a scratch (actual) basis. The oil pattern used in this tournament will be the pattern used at the OHSSA High School State Championships. A lane graph will be on display in the tournament office.

Entry Fee: \$65.00. Breakdown: Lineage & Expenses: \$31.00. SMART Scholarships: \$34.00. Note: <u>Optional</u> scholarship jackpots and/or scholarship brackets will be available. *A spectator admission fee of \$6.00 will be charged. Children age 6 and under, no charge.*

<u>Awards</u>: No fewer than 1:6 participants in each grade & gender division will be awarded SMART scholarships. Medals will be awards to the 1st and 2nd place athletes in each grade & gender division. 100% of all collected scholarship funds will be awarded. Complete tournament results will be posted on <u>www.ohiohighschoolbowling.com</u>.

Dress Code/Behavior: A collared shirt or a non-collared shirt made of dri-mesh type material is allowed. *Shirts with tails (uneven bottom) must be tucked in!.* Girls may wear pants, skorts, skirts, or shorts (minimum middle finger-tip length requirement). Boys must wear long pants. Pants must be worn at waist level and not touch the floor. *The use of cell phones and any electronic devices during tournament practice/competition by athletes is not allowed.* Athletes are expected to be professional in appearance, reflecting the high caliber of tournament bowling anticipated. Abuse of equipment, foul or disruptive language/gestures, and/or misbehavior by athletes or spectators are cause for the non-refundable dismissal from participation or attendance at this tournament. All bowling equipment must meet USBC specifications. The use of powder or any foreign substance (including Easy Slide) on shoes, the approach, or on the facility floor, tables, or carpet is <u>not</u> permitted. This tournament will observe 1-lane courtesy. Only participating athletes and tournament officials 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 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 youth bowling and this event.

Scholarship Management: 100% of all collected scholarship funds will be awarded and sent to the USBC SMART Program for management/dispersal (Account #11600). Information about the SMART Program is on www.bowl.com.



Ebonite is a proud partner of the Ohio High School Bowling Program.



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<u>Dates</u> :	9th & 10th Grade Championships 11th & 12th Grade Championships	Saturday, March 19, 2016 Sunday, March 20, 2016
<u>Schedule</u> :	(Same for both events & dates. All times approximate and subject to on-site adjustments.)	
45 mi	10:45 AM—11:00 AM 11:00 AM— 3:00 PM	Tournament Check-in Practice Five Game Qualifying Round Championship Round Begins
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College bowling coaches will be invited to attend the 11th & 12th Grade Championships and distribute materials about their college bowling programs. Athletes & parents are encouraged to meet the coaches and learn more about college bowling.

Upcoming: 2 GREAT Tournaments...1 BIG Weekend!

The Ohio 9th-12th Grade Doubles Championships! Sat. April 30, 2016 Columbus

DOUBLES

- An all-Baker Game format. Everybody loves Baker!
- 3 divisions: boys, girls, mixed. SMART scholarships.
- Team up with ANY 9th-12th grade partner from the same or different school.
- 2 shifts allow bowlers to re-enter w/different partner.

Get tourney rules & entry form on *ohiohighschoolbowling.com*



Get tourney rules & entry form on *jtba.com*



The 12th Annual Ohio 9th-12th Grade Singles Championships! ENTRY FORM



All lines must be completed for scholarships to be awarded.

<u>The easy way!</u> You can type this form online at ohiohighschoolbowling.com, print it, and mail it with payment to the address below.

Name: boy girl
Address:
City: State: <u>OH</u> Zip:
Preferred phone (include area code):
USBC membership number (if you have one):
Grade:9th10th11th12th
Method of Payment Pre-paid entry fee: \$65.00. Save money! Register early! Pre-paid entries must be received on or before Thursday, March 17th. Walk-in's (day of tournament) accepted subject to lane availability. Walk-in's will be assessed an additional \$10.00 late processing fee. Max. entries: 192. Only paid entries will be accepted on a 1st come-1st served basis. Check or money order (Enclosed. Make payable to OHSB.) VISA, MC or debit card account #:
Name on card: Cardholder's Zip Code:
Cardholder's E-mail (for receipt):@ NOTE: A 4.00% service charge for each transaction will be added when using a credit/debit card for payment. By submitting this paid entry form, the bowler and parent(s) acknowledge that they have read the rules of the tournament and agree to abide by them.
<u>3 ways to submit your completed entry form</u> (Only entries with payment will be accepted.)
By U.S. Mail: <u>Make checks payable to OHSB</u> & mail to: OHSB PO Box 750996 Centerville, OH 45475 By fax: (credit/debit card only): 937.438.8122 By E-mail: (credit/debit card only): Save as a PDF and attach to: greg@ohiohighschoolbowling.com