

**12th Annual
South Sound Women's Championship Tournament
Narrows Plaza
2200 Mildred St W. University Place 98466
USBC CERTIFIED**

Feb 11, 12, 18 & 19, 2017 Entries Close: 12:30 pm, Feb 19

Handicap: Team (4) = 100% of 920
Doubles = 100% of 460
Singles = 100% of 230

TEAM NAME

TEAM CAPTAIN

Address

City/State/Zip Code

Phone Number

E-Mail Address

Entry Fee
Lineage & Expenses \$15.00
Prize Fund \$15.00
Per person, per event \$ 30.00
PRIZE RATIO: at least 1 in 5
ALL EVENTS: at least 1 in 8

**MUST HAVE
PAYMENT IN FULL
TO CONFIRM
RESERVATION**

ENTRY NUMBER _____
DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

Partial Pymt \$ _____ Date _____ Entered _____
Final Pymt \$ _____ Date _____ Entered _____

Team Event (4) _____ @ \$120.00 \$ _____
Doubles Event _____ @ \$60.00 \$ _____
Singles Event _____ @ \$30.00 \$ _____
All Events Handicap _____ @ \$5.00 \$ _____
All Events Scratch _____ @ \$5.00 \$ _____

Total Due \$ _____

Early Entry Prize Deadline Jan 25 2017

PLEASE SEND ONE ENTRY FORM FOR EACH TEAM ENTERED

Check Events for each bowler with an "X"

	EVENT						List Bowlers in Order You Wish to Bowl <small>Full Name of Entrant—No Nicknames</small>	Bowler ID # <small>(From USBC Card)</small>	High 15-16 USBC Avg.	Average As of Jan 1, 2017	TEAM SQUAD	DBLS	SINGLES AND DOUBLES PRINT NAMES	Singles SQUAD	Doubles SQUAD
	T	D	S	HCP A/E	SCR A/E										
1												1			
2															
3															
4												2			

**Check In at least
30 minutes
Prior to squad time.**

**Team Captain brings in
bowlers USBC cards**

SQUAD DATES and TIMES - Please circle date and time you want to bowl						
SATURDAYS LIMITED TO 20 LANES FOR THE 9:00 AM SQUAD						
	TEAM (4 WOMEN)			SINGLES & DOUBLES		
<u>Saturday</u>	Feb 11	9:00 am	1:00 pm	<u>Saturdays</u>	Feb 11	9:00 am 1:00 pm
	Feb 18	9:00 am	1:00 pm		Feb 18	9:00 am 1:00 pm
<u>Sundays</u>	Feb 12	9:00 am	1:00 pm	<u>Sundays</u>	Feb 12	9:00 am 1:00 pm
	Feb 19	9:00 am	1:00 pm		Feb 19	9:00 am 1:00 pm

MAIL ENTRIES TO:

South Sound USBC
4517 South M Street
Tacoma, WA 98418
Phone 253-473-4822
Fax 253-474-6148

**MULTIPLE
ENTRIES
ALLOWED**

SOUTH SOUND USBC WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT RULES CERTIFIED BY USBC

1. This tournament shall be conducted in accordance with USBC rules governing local association tournaments in addition to rules adopted by South Sound USBC (SSUSBC)

2. **Eligibility.** All entrants must be a female member of USBC and SSUSBC, Greater Seattle, Kitsap County or Thurston County. To be eligible a bowler must have an average of 21 games or more from the **2015-16** season or a current USBC average of 21 games or more

3. **Multiple participation allowed.** Bowlers may participate in the singles, doubles and team events as many times as they wish. USBC Rule 315 regarding multiple participation will apply.

4. **Entry deadline.** Completed entries without payment will be accepted and held until the Friday before the reservation date. If not paid by 12 noon on Friday, the reservation will be cancelled. Telephone reservations will **NOT** be accepted. **Payment in full of all fees must accompany entry form to confirm reservation.** Entries for each squad close 30 minutes prior to each squad time as lanes permit. Tournament entries close at 12:30 pm on Sunday, **February 19, 2017.**

5. **Entering Average.** This is a handicap tournament. Handicap is **100%** of 230. Entrants will use averages in the following order:

- ◆ Highest USBC certified final league average of 21 games or more from the previous winter season. **Composite average may be used if the composite average for the 2015-2016 season is 10 pins or higher than high 2015-2016 league average for 21 or more games. Summer league averages can be used. Composite average is found on the USBC website bowl.com**
- ◆ Highest current average for 21 games as of **January 1, 2017**
- ◆ Highest summer league average for at least 21 games as of the end of the previous summer season.
- ◆ If no average, entrant will use 230 (scratch).
- ◆ In the event a bowler has a standard average and a sport league average, the standard average will be used. If the bowler has a sport league average only, the sport league average will be adjusted per USBC guidelines.

The following USBC rules do apply:

319a(3)—bowler responsible to verify average

319c—average adjustment by manager

The following USBC rules do not apply:

319d—tournament prize winnings

319e—tournament average

6. **Doubles & Singles Entries.** The first time one bowls doubles and singles, it must be together and **doubles** will be bowled first. Entrants may request accommodation to bowl singles during another squad if unable to bowl six games consecutively. **Doubles and singles will be bowled on the same pair of lanes.**

7. **Tie Scores.** If there is a tie for first place in any event, 1st and 2nd place prize money will be combined and divided equally. Co-champions will be declared and duplicate awards will be presented. (USBC Rule 326a).

8. **Awards.** USBC Women's Championship emblems and an award will be presented to the Handicap Champion in each event. An emblem and a trophy will also be awarded to the Scratch All Events Champion for the Babe Penowich Award. The Babe Penowich Award is a perpetual trophy where the bowler's name and highest scratch All Events score will be engraved, no paid entry is required. An award will also be presented to the participant over 70 years of age (as of the date she participates in her first event) with the highest scratch series in any event. Cost of all awards will be from the tournament expense fund. Cash prizes are awarded in the paid Handicap and Scratch All Events.

9. **Early Entry Prize Money.** Team entries submitted on or before **January 25, 2017** shall be eligible for "Early Entry Prize Money". The SSUSBC shall award \$50.00 first place and \$25.00 second place in each team classification. Winners will be determined by position standing on the prize list. Prize money will be paid from the tournament expense fund

10. **Tardy Players.** Any player or team arriving late shall begin play with the score count from the frame then being bowled. No score will be given for frames the player missed (USBC Rule 322a). No absentee or vacancy scores permitted.

11. **All Events.** (USBC Rule 306) When an entrant competes more than once in team, doubles or singles the first appearance in each event will count towards her All Events score. Only those participating in the prize fund are eligible to collect the All Events prize funds. Entry **must be paid prior to participation in the first event.**

12. **Slow Bowling.** The tournament officials shall not allow unreasonable delay in the progress of a game. Should any bowler or team refuse to proceed with the game after being instructed to do so by a tournament official, such game or series shall be declared forfeited (USBC Rule 11). This has no bearing on lane problems.

13. **Protest.** Any protest affecting the eligibility or playing rules must be submitted in writing to the tournament manager prior to payment of prizes. Errors in scoring must be reported to the tournament manager within 24 hours. SSUSBC tournament committee will have the authority to hear and act on all protests relating to the tournament (USBC Rule 329). USBC Rule 303 applies to the decision of the committee.

Good bowling to all

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