



WELCOME BACK BOWLERS TOURNAMENT



SATURDAY 9/21/24
SQUAD TIMES: 1:00 & 4:00
 SUNDAY 9/22/2024
SQUAD TIMES: 10:00 & 2:00
 Myrtle Beach Bowl

ENTRY FEES

MENS Division - \$15.00
WOMENS Division - \$15.00
 Senior Division - \$15
YOUTH Division - \$ 15.00
 Entries with Payment Due 9/13/24
 Please make checks payable to: GSUSBC
**IF LANES ARE AVAILABLE LATE ENTRIES WILL BE
 ACCEPTED UP UNTIL 1 HOUR
 BEFORE SQUADS START
 NO EXCEPTIONS!!**

PRIZE FUND PROVIDED BY GSUSBC AND WILL BE PAID IN EACH DIVISION AS FOLLOWS:

1 st	\$200.00
2 nd	\$150.00
3 rd	\$100.00
4 th	\$75.00
5 th	\$50.00

THIS IS A HANDICAPPED TOTAL PINFALL TOURNAMENT
 HANDICAP IS 90% OF 230 for Men, Women, and Seniors
 HANDICAP IS 100% OF 230 for Youth

Mail Entries to:
Grand Strand USBC
708 Pipit Place
Calabash, NC 28467

Bowler Information (Please Print)					
Bowers may participate in 1Division and 1 Squad only!					
Name:				USBC #:	
Address:				Division:	
City:	State:	Zip:	Home Phone :		
Cell Phone:	Email :				

Squad Choices	
(Tournament Director will try to accommodate)	
DATES	Time
1 st	
2 nd	



WELCOME BACK BOWLERS TOURNAMENT Rules



This tournament is certified with the United States Bowling Congress through the Grand Strand USBC Association. The Tournament Directors shall decide any question not covered by tournament rules (USBC Rule 303):

1. All USBC rules will be observed.
2. All members of the Grand Strand USBC **that bowl in a sanctioned league in the Grand Strand at time of entry and participation** are eligible to enter this tournament,
3. Competition is in four divisions of Singles: Mens, Womens, Seniors, and Youth.
4. All classifications bowl three games in each event.
5. Bowlers will enter the tournament with their highest yearbook average. If the bowler does not have a yearbook average then their highest current season average shall be used, Handicap is 90% of 230 for the Mens, Womens, and Senior divisions and 100% of 230 for the Youth division.
6. No entry will be considered accepted without all required information and the fully paid entry fee. **Entries must be received by the Tournament Director by September 13, 2024** to guarantee participation.
7. **Entry fees are \$15.00 per bowler. Make checks or money orders payable to GSUSBC, and mail to the tournament director listed on the entry form. There will be no refunds.** Returned checks will be subject to a \$30 service charge, in which case all entry fees and service charges must be paid in cash **prior** to bowling in the tournament.
8. Entry fees are non-refundable after the entry is processed and squads are assigned.
9. Bowlers must report to the check-in table at least 1 hour before the start of their squad time,
10. **PROPER BOWLING ATTIRE IS REQUIRED. All bowlers must wear suitable attire. All apparel worn by bowlers must be respectable. Torn, holes or extremely baggy clothes will not be allowed. No exposed undergarments will be permitted. No sexual or profane advertisements will be allowed on any attire or equipment. Not okay crop-tops, tank tops, short shorts, mini-skirts, mini-skorts, no sagging pants. Skorts or shorts are too short when their hemmed edge comes above a bowler's fingertips when the bowler is standing straight with arms down. Tournament management will determine if the attire worn by the participant is acceptable. If the attire is deemed unacceptable, the participant will be required to immediately change. If the participant is unable to change into compliant attire, they will be removed from the competition for that day.**
11. Total pins determine division winners. The prize fund will be awarded in each division as follows:

1 st	\$200.00
2 nd	\$150.00
3 rd	\$100.00
4 th	\$75.00
5 th	\$50.00
12. Scholarships will be awarded to Youth division winners. All scholarship monies will be deposited into the bowler's USBC SMART account.
13. In the event of ties for cash positions prize fund will be split between bowlers.
14. Any protest involving eligibility, playing rules, etc., must be filed in writing with the Tournament Directors no later than 48 hours after the tournament has ended. Errors in scoring must be reported to a tournament official within 24 hours after the games are bowled. The GSUSBC Board of Directors shall hear and decide any protests concerning the tournament.
15. The entrants, whose names appear on any entry into this tournament, or their authorized replacements, hereby agree that the GSUSBC, its officers and agents, shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fees, if and when these entrants shall be prevented from bowling any event in the tournament through premature termination of the tournament, which may be brought about by war, national emergency, or causes relating to, fires, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties, or other causes beyond the control of the Grand Strand USBC Association. The entrants whose names appear on this application and/or their authorized replacements hereby agree that the GSUSBC, and its officers and agents, shall not be liable for any injury, accident, or illness resulting from participation in the GSUSBC City Championship Tournament, absent willful or gross negligence on the part of GSUSBC. Additionally, GSUSBC has permission to photograph participants for use by GSUSBC. Any participant that cannot legally be photographed must inform the tournament director prior to the start of the tournament.