



Shootout Sentinel

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2022 Shootouts to be Broadcast on BowlTV!

Senior Shootout management and USBC's BowlTV have reached an agreement to livestream all Challenge and Championship events in both the South Point Senior and Super Senior Shootouts this November. The BowlTV livestream features multiple lane coverage, viewer "chat" interaction, and color commentary throughout all events.

The BowlTV cost for all livestream broadcasts during both Shootouts is \$12.95*, and an entire year of BowlTV featuring dozens of PBA50, PWBA, and collegiate events is only \$79.95*. A recurring monthly plan is also available for \$9.95* each month. [Click here](#) to view the action or sign up for BowlTV.

*Plus transaction fees

Senior and Super Senior Shootouts Sold Out

The 2022 South Point Senior and Super Senior Shootouts presented by I Am Bowling (powered by Logo Infusion) and South Point Hotel, Casino, and Bowling Plaza are sold out! The Senior Shootout filled at 180 players on May 8 and the Super Senior Shootout had previously filled at 120 competitors on April 29. The Super Senior Shootout is scheduled for November 12-15, immediately following the Senior Shootout planned for November 7-11. All players entered in the Shootouts should have received an Entry Confirmation eMail listing each event in which they are scheduled to compete. For players who have reserved a Shootout spot with an entry deposit, the balance is due October 1.

With history as a precedent, each Shootout should be able to accommodate five to ten additional players from their respective Standby list as certainly some withdrawals will occur. Interested players not yet confirmed for this year are encouraged to submit an entry. While individuals may simply request to be added to a Standby list, players with entries submitted with a full payment or deposit, or a spot secured with a credit/debit card, will have priority over unpaid players on the lists.

South Point Hotel is offering reduced room rates of \$65.00 Sunday thru Thursday nights and \$109.00 on Friday and Saturday nights for SPSS participants. Call (866) 791-7626 for reservations and request the "South Point Senior Shootout" room block (room code [SPS1107](#)). Reservations must be made no later than October 18.

PBA Regionals Planned for the Weekend Before the Senior Shootout

The [PBA50 South Point Classic](#) is scheduled for November 4-6 at the South Point Bowling Plaza in Las Vegas the weekend immediately prior to the 2022 South Point Senior Shootout. This event is a [Regional Players Invitational](#) (RPI) qualifier in which the top two finishers could earn a spot in the RPI at South Point in January 2023. A regular RPI-qualifier regional is also scheduled at South Point for that same weekend. If you're considering bowling in either regional, an early regional entry is encouraged.

A room block at South Point has been reserved for the regionals. For reservations November 4-6, call (866) 791-7626 and request room code PBA1103. The Senior Shootouts room block (room code [SPS1107](#)) is available November 7-15. Reservations must be made by October 18.

2022 Senior Shootout and Mid-term Voting

The Senior Shootout, scheduled for Monday thru Friday, November 7-11, overlaps with the scheduled mid-term national elections slated for Tuesday, November 8. Regardless of your political affiliation, Senior Shootout competitors are encouraged to make arrangements to vote early and ensure your voice is heard.

Senior Shootout Turbo Sweeper is now the Storm Sweeper

The Turbo Sweeper scheduled for 5:00 PM Tuesday, November 8 has been renamed the Storm Sweeper as Storm Products, Inc. has generously added \$500.00 to the sweeper prize fund. Players with paid entries in the Turbo Sweeper are entered in the Storm Sweeper. Spots are still available in all sweepers in both the Senior and Super Senior Shootouts.

“Lucky 7s” Open Sweeper

A 4-game “Lucky 7s” sweeper is scheduled for 7:00 PM Saturday, November 12 on the same pattern to be used the following day in the Super Senior Shootout 36’ Challenge. The “Lucky 7s” Sweeper is open to all players with no age or national title limit restrictions. Entry is \$77.00 and with 45 entries or more, the sweeper champion will earn \$777.00.

Six USBC Non-Approved Bowling Balls Allowed in Senior Shootouts

Barring future rulings, the six bowling balls identified by the United States Bowling Congress as not approved for USBC-conducted competition ARE APPROVED for the Senior and Super Senior Shootouts. The six balls are: Altered Reality, Electrify Solid, Phaze 4, Trend 2, UFO Alert, and Wolverine. The Spectre is not allowed as it is not approved for USBC sanctioned competition.

Quote of the Quarter

People are always blaming their circumstances for what they are. I don't believe in circumstances. The people who get on in this world are the people who get up and look for the circumstances they want, and if they can't find them, make them.— Kirk Mango