

2012 GEORGIA STATE USBC YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

46th ANNUAL HANDICAP TOURNAMENT
Certified by the United States Bowling Congress

Hosted by:

Northwest Georgia USBC Association

Team House

2750 Austell Rd.
Marietta, Ga. 30008
770-435-2120

Singles & Doubles

2749 Delk Rd SE
Marietta, GA 30067
770-988-8813

SQUADS – SATURDAY – SUNDAY SHIFTS 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM
Tournament Dates: May 5 – 6, 12 – 13, 19 – 20, 26 – 27, 2012

ENTRIES CLOSE – POSTMARKED – MIDNIGHT – MARCH 19, 2012

ENTRY FEE PER BOWLER, PER EVENT			
	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>DOUBLES</u>	<u>SINGLES</u>
PRIZE FEE	\$ 2.75	\$ 2.75	\$ 2.75
BOWLING FEE	\$ 6.75	\$ 6.75	\$ 6.75
SCHOLARSHIP FUND	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00
EXPENSE FEE	<u>\$ 2.50</u>	<u>\$ 2.50</u>	<u>\$ 2.50</u>
	\$13.00	\$13.00	\$13.00

INCLUDE COPY OF LEAGUE STANDING SHEET & USBC MEMBERSHIP CARDS WITH ENTRY.
REVIEW RULE 7: NO PERSONAL OR LEAGUE CHECKS ACCEPTED
DRESS CODE IS RULE 11 AND WILL BE ENFORCED

<p>Host Hotel Doubletree Suites 2055 South Park Place Atlanta, Georgia 30339-2014 Telephone (770) 272-9441</p> <p><i>See back page for details</i></p>	<p><u>MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES TO:</u></p> <p><i>State Youth Tournament Manager</i> EILEEN CHECKLE 7435 MOCKINGBIRD TRAIL RIVERDALE, GA 30274 (770) 477-9303</p>
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State Youth Championship Tournament is a proud supporter of the Georgia State Games

Tournament Director: Pete Vetter
Email: tournaments@nwga-usbc.com / Phone: [770] 591-5567

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ENTRIES CLOSE - SUNDAY - MIDNIGHT MARCH 19, 2012

ENTRY #

TEAM – DATES & TIMES	
SATURDAY	SUNDAY
5 MAY	6 MAY
12 MAY	13 MAY
19 MAY	20 MAY
26 MAY	27 MAY
SQUAD - SHIFTS	
SAT & SUN TIMES	
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	

SGL/DBLS – DATES & TIMES	
SATURDAY	SUNDAY
5 MAY	6 MAY
12 MAY	13 MAY
19 MAY	20 MAY
26 MAY	27 MAY
SQUAD - SHIFTS	
SAT & SUN TIMES	
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	

SELECT TEAM DATES		
	DATE	TIME
1st	_____	_____
2nd	_____	_____
3rd	_____	_____
SELECT SGL/DBLS DATES		
	DATE	TIME
1st	_____	_____
2nd	_____	_____
3rd	_____	_____

Entrants shall use their highest current 2011-2012 average as of January 14, 2012 with a minimum of 12 games. Bowlers that do not have 12 games by Jan 14 may use their 2011 summer league final average with a minimum of 12 games. New bowlers who have not reached the required 12 games by Jan 14, will use their highest verifiable average with a minimum of 12 games as of tournament deadline - March 19, 2012
 League standing sheet must be attached to each entry for all bowlers on the entry. Photo copy of bowler's USBC certification card or a league roster from the association manager must accompany entries.

PRINT - COACH SUBMITTING ENTRY	LOCAL ASSOCIATION
MAILING ADDRESS	
CITY, STATE, ZIP	
E-MAIL ADDRESS	HOME TEL #

TEAM NAME:	SEE AVG RULE # 4	CHECK BOX IF INFORMATION BELOW IS ATTACHED
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LIST TEAM IN ORDER OF LINEUP	-- PLEASE PRINT	GEN	USBC	ENTERING	Standing	Proof of
FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	M / F	Membership ID #	AVERAGE	Sheet	Membership
1.						
2.						
3.						
4.						

SINGLES/DOUBLES ENTRY – LIST LINE UP ORDER BY PAIRS		Singles \$13.00	Doubles \$26.00	AMOUNT	
FIRST NAME LAST NAME		Each Bowler	Each Pair	REMITTED	
1	1			TEAM	
	2			SINGLES	
2	1			DOUBLES	
	2			Total Fees	

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
 TEAM _____ SGLS _____
 DBLS _____
 TOTAL _____
 Check # _____
 Date Received _____

MAIL ENTRY TO:
 2012 Tournament Manager
 Eileen Checkle
 7435 Mockingbird Trail
 Riverdale, GA 30274
 (770) 477-9303

Make checks payable to 2012 Ga. State USBC Youth Tournament
 All entries must be complete and accompanied by full entry fee in the form of money order, cashier's check or certified check.
NO personal checks or league checks will be accepted.

ENTRY DEADLINE IS MARCH 19, 2012

2012 GEORGIA STATE USBC YOUTH TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Tournament shall be certified and conducted in compliance with all USBC rules and regulations. Tournament Director's decision will be final on all matters not specifically covered in these rules. Appeals and protests shall be in compliance with USBC Rule 329.
2. Certified members of a Georgia State USBC Youth Bowling Association in good standings are eligible to enter. A member in good standing will have applied for regular current season membership application, to the association Manager, by **February 18, 2012**.
3. Handicap will be determined from the USBC YOUTH Seniors Division Table, (90% of 200)
4. Entrants shall use their highest current 2011-2012 average as of **January 14, 2012** with a minimum of 12 games. Bowlers that do not have 12 games by Jan 14 may use their 2011 summer league final average with a minimum of 12 games. New bowlers, who have not reached the required 12 games by Jan 14, will use their highest verifiable average with a minimum of 12 games as of tournament deadline - March 19 2012. Bowlers that do not have an established verifiable average will bowl scratch. Failure to use correct average will result in disqualification of entry and loss of all fees paid.
5. **League standing sheet must be attached to each entry for all bowlers on the entry.** Photocopy of bowler's certification card attached to each entry is acceptable. Bowlers who do not furnish Photocopy of certification card will be required to present current USBC Youth card at check-in. League Rosters from the Association Manager will be accepted as proof of membership.
6. Division Classification shall be determined by average as follows:

	<u>DIVISION 1</u>	<u>DIVISION 2</u>	<u>DIVISION 3</u>	<u>DIVISION 4</u>	<u>DIVISION 5</u>
TEAM	677 and over	597 to 676	497 to 596	401 to 496	400 and under
DOUBLES	349 and over	299 to 348	249 to 298	201 to 248	200 and under
SINGLES	175 and over	150 to 174	125 to 149	101 to 124	100 and under
ALL EVENTS	175 and over	150 to 174	125 to 149	101 to 124	100 and under

7. All entries must be complete and accompanied by full entry fee in the form of a **money order or cashier's** check or certified check. No refunds will be made after entries have been accepted in compliance with USBC rules. Incomplete entries and entries with personal or league checks will be returned. Late entries will not be accepted. Entries must be POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN MARCH 19, 2012.
8. Shift times and dates will be scheduled in the order in which entries are received. *NO TELEPHONE RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.* Tournament Manager reserves the right to reschedule entries and/or add additional shifts as necessary
9. Team entrants will bowl in the order listed on the entry form. All substitutes will assume position of the bowler replaced. Bowlers must enter both doubles and singles if entering either. If you enter singles, you are required to enter doubles, and vice versa. Singles are bowled first.
10. Multiple entries allowed twice in each event. (2 times in Team and 2 times in Singles/Doubles events) Teams must have two or more different bowlers and doubles must have different partners. First three games bowled in each event will count for All Events.
11. **Dress Code:** Proper attire and regulation bowling shoes must be worn by bowlers to participate in this tournament. Dress Collared Shirt, Official USBC Jersey and Center issued bowling T-Shirt allowed. All shirts must have sleeves. Shirts with alcohol, tobacco or suggestive slogans are not permitted. No shorts, skirts, ragged / torn jeans, sweats, culottes, zupas, cutoffs, or tank tops allowed. Dress Slacks and Jeans must be worn above the waistline and Capri pants will be allowed provided the length is below the knees. All clothing must be neat, clean and in good condition.
12. No hats will be worn during tournament play. The use of alcoholic beverages and tobacco products will not be permitted. Participants shall not play game machines or use Audio Equipment including headsets when in tournament play. The use of foreign substances on shoes or on approaches will not be permitted. Flash pictures shall not be taken while the tournament is in progress
13. Check-in 1 hour prior to scheduled squad time. Substitution and Average Change forms will be available in the tournament check-in office. All bowlers, including Substitutes, are subject to tournament dress code review and must report to the check-in office in person with current certification card.
14. No absentee scores allowed. Bowlers arriving late will enter the game in progress, but will receive "0" for all frames missed.
15. Only bowlers, scorekeepers, and tournament officials will be permitted in the bowling area.
16. Derogatory Conduct will not be tolerated and USBC Rule 301b will be strictly enforced. Failure to comply will result in disqualification.
17. Tournament Confirmation will be e-mailed or mailed to the League Official, or the person indicated on the entry form. This individual is responsible for notifying all bowlers of their scheduled dates and time.
18. Award fee will be returned 100%. Singles and All Event Divisions are separated by Gender. Handicap Awards will be presented on the basis of at least one for every ten entries in the Team, Singles and Doubles Divisions. All Event Handicap Divisions, awards will be presented on the basis of at least one for every twenty entries. The Handicap All Event Winner in each Division will be declared State Champion.
19. Scratch All Event Awards will be presented to the top overall male and female in each Division. In case of a tie, duplicate awards will be given. The Scratch awards will be paid from the expense fees.
20. Entry forms for Georgia Games is \$3.00 and will be available in the check-in office.

Note: Premature termination of the tournament brought about by reason beyond the control of the GS USBC Youth, the Northwest Georgia USBC Association or USBC shall cause the foregoing awards to be prorated in accordance with the number of entrants who have bowled in each respective event up to the time of termination. If any bowler is unable to complete the event they are bowling due to power outage, they may be rescheduled, if shift times are available. They may receive a refund if unable to find suitable shift time. Any rescheduled matches will start completely over, regardless of the number of games or time bowled. The same applies if scores are lost because of automatic scoring devices.

Tournament Dress Code

Proper attire and regulation bowling shoes must be worn by bowlers to participate in this tournament. All bowlers, including substitutes, are subject to tournament dress code review and must report to the check-in office in person.

- Center issued bowling T-Shirt, Commemorative Tournament T-Shirt, USBC Jersey, or Shirts with butterfly collar are required. (All shirts must have sleeves)
- No Shirts with alcohol, tobacco or suggestive slogans allowed.
- All clothing must be neat, clean and in good condition – No ragged or torn clothing allowed.
- Dress Slacks and Denim Jeans are permitted and must be worn above the waistline.
- Girls may wear Capri pants provided the length is below the knees.
- Bowlers are not permitted to wear: hats, shorts, skirts, sweats, culottes, zupas, cutoffs or tank tops.

Exceptions: Any request for exceptions to the dress code (example: medical) must be made to the Tournament Director with Doctors statement attached to the submitted form.

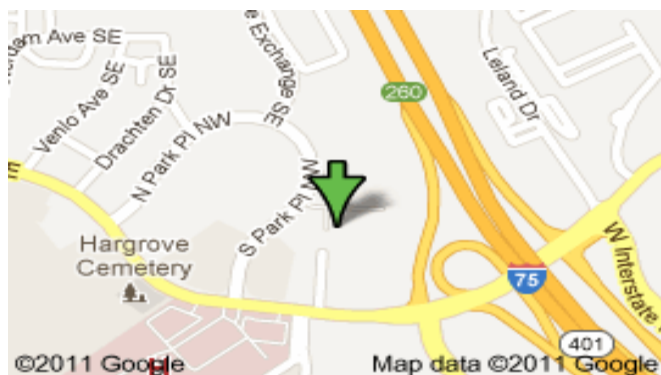
**PLACE COPY OF USBC MEMBERSHIP CARD
OR COPY OF MEMBERSHIP VERIFICATION FROM
WWW.BOWL.COM
IN THIS AREA**

A list of available motels will be sent with the confirmation(s).

Host Hotel

**Doubletree Suites
2055 South Park Place
Atlanta, Georgia 30339-2014
Telephone (770) 272-9441
Room Rate: \$69.00 + tax**

Deadline for discounted rate is 2-weeks prior to check-in



From I-75 South, take Exit 260 and turn **Right** onto Windy Hill Rd. Drive 0.2 miles and turn **Right** onto South Park Place

From I-75 North, take Exit 260 and turn **Left** onto Windy Hill Rd. Drive 0.3 miles and turn **Right** onto South Park Place

Reservation Details

Weekend #1 – May 4 – 6, 2012

Reservation Deadline: April 20, 2012 / Group Code: USB

Group Name: USBC Northwest Georgia- May 4-6, 2012

http://doubletree.hilton.com/en/dt/groups/personalized/A/ATLWY-DT-USB-20120504/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POG

Weekend #2 – May 11 – 13, 2012

Reservation Deadline: April 27, 2012 / Group Code: UNA

Group Name: USBC Northwest Georgia- May 11-13, 2012

http://doubletree.hilton.com/en/dt/groups/personalized/A/ATLWY-DT-UNA-20120511/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POG

Weekend #3 – May 18 – 20, 2012

Reservation Deadline: May 4, 2012 / Group Code: UNS

Group Name: USBC Northwest Georgia- May 18-20, 2012

http://doubletree.hilton.com/en/dt/groups/personalized/A/ATLWY-DT-UNS-20120518/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POG

Weekend #4 – May 25 – 27, 2012

Reservation Deadline: May 11, 2012 / Group Code: UNG

Group Name: USBC Northwest Georgia- May 25-27, 2012

http://doubletree.hilton.com/en/dt/groups/personalized/A/ATLWY-DT-UNG-20120525/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POG

Identify your group as USBC Northwest Georgia to ensure the group rate.
Group rate is \$ 69.00 plus tax.