60th GSLBA YOUTH TOURNAMENT

Junior Gold Qualifier

GREAT SALT LAKE USBC

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DELTON SPORTS CENTER **JANUARY – 2024** **6-7 & 13-14** **3544 W 3500 S** **West Valley City, Utah 84119**	STORM — THE BOWLER'S COMPANY™ ROTO GRIP OWN IT.

ONLINE REGISTRATION – WWW.GSLBA.COM

Online Registration has immediate confirmation of dates and times

Selected preferred dates and times may not be available with paper entry

Mail Paper Entry to - Great Salt Lake USBC Association - 2480 S Main St, Suite 105 - Salt Lake City, UT 84115
Phone: (801) 281-1369 - Email: GSLBA1@comcast.net
ONLINE ENTRY CLOSES MIDNIGHT JANUARY 2, 2024 – Paper entry closes January 5, 2024

Team Name:		Address:	
Team Captain:		City, State:	
Captain USBC #:		Zip:	
Cell / Phone #:		Email Address:	

TEAM LINE-UP ~ $80 PER TEAM ($20 PER PERSON)

	First & Last Name – Please PRINT clearly	USBC #	22/23 Composite Ave	Per Person $20	All Events - Optional HDCP -$ 5	Scratch -$ 5	Total Paid Per Person
1				$ 20	$ 5	$ 5	$
2				$ 20	$ 5	$ 5	$
3				$ 20	$ 5	$ 5	$
4				$ 20	$ 5	$ 5	$
					Total Team Paid	$	

DOUBLES LINE – UP ~ $40 PER DOUBLE TEAM ($20 PER PERSON)

	First & Last Name – Please PRINT clearly	USBC #	22/23 Composite Ave	Per Person $20		Total Paid Per Person
1				$ 40		$
2				$ 40		$
1				$ 40		$
2				$ 40		$
				Total Doubles Paid	$	

SINGLE LINE – UP ~ $20 PER PERSON

	First & Last Name – Please PRINT clearly	USBC #	22/23 Composite Ave	Per Person $20		Total Paid Per Person
1				$ 20		$
2				$ 20		$
1				$ 20		$
2				$ 20		$
				Total Singles Paid	$	

TEAM EVENT		DOUBLES / SINGLES EVENTS		EXTRA DOUBLES/SINGLES	
SATURDAY – JAN 6	8:00 AM	SATURDAY – JAN 6	8:00 AM	SATURDAY – JAN 6	Contact office
SUNDAY – JAN 7	8:00 AM	SUNDAY – JAN 7	8:00 AM	SUNDAY – JAN 7	Contact office
SATURDAY – JAN 13	8:00 AM	SATURDAY - 13	8:00 AM	SATURDAY – JAN 13	Contact office
SUNDAY – JAN 14	8:00 AM	SUNDAY - 14	8:00 AM	SUNDAY – JAN 14	Contact office
1ST CHOICE TEAM DATE / TIME		1ST CHOICE DOUBLES DATE / TIME		*FOR GSLBA USE:*	
2ND CHOICE TEAM DATE / TIME		2ND CHOICE DOUBLES DATE / TIME			

60th ANNUAL CITY YOUTH TOURNAMENT INFORMATION & RULES

Tournament shall be conducted in accordance with the United States Bowling Congress (USBC) rules and regulations in addition to rules adopted by the Great Salt Lake USBC (GSLUSBC). Tournament Director/Officials have final decisions regarding anything not covered by these rules.

1. <u>Eligibility/Age:</u> *The "YOUTH" tournament is open to all USBC youth members with a current 2023-2024 USBC Youth membership.*
2. <u>Average Requirements</u>: The average to be used will be determined in the following manner:
    a. Bowlers will use their composite average from the 22/23 season with a combined games total of all leagues bowled equal to or greater than 12 for the season as listed on bowl.com. If no 22/23 average, then the 21/22 average may be used with the same stipulation as above. If none of the above can be established, a current league sheet with a minimum of 9 games may be used. If the bowler has no established average prior to the tournament, youth 12 years and under will enter with a 140 average – youth 13 years and older will enter with a 200 average. *Sport/Challenge league averages will be converted for competition. Rule 201a, b, & c, will apply*
    b. It is the responsibility of each bowler to verify their average listed on the scoresheet. Bowlers who do not report an incorrect average may be subject to disqualification
    c. If an average is wrong, the bowler must immediately bring this to the attention of the tournament director for correction prior to the completion of the first game in any event.
3. <u>Check In:</u> Preregistered/prepaid entrants are requested to check in 45 minutes before squad starting time – *Walk-ins should register and check in 1 hour prior to squad starting time.*
4. <u>Credit Card Payments:</u> Credit or debit cards will be accepted for payment.
5. <u>Participation</u>: Mixed teams and doubles as to age, sex and average are allowed. All bowlers will bowl three (3) games in each event. Bowlers may enter the team event more than once but not more than two (2) members can be the same on any team. Bowlers may enter doubles more than once but must change partners each time. Singles will be allowed to be bowled only once. The score of the FIRST TEAM, FIRST DOUBLES, and SINGLES event bowled will count for All Events if the $5.00 All Events scratch and/or $5.00 All Events Handicap fee has been paid prior to first event. **THE DIVISION YOU ENTER IN SINGLES WILL BE THE DIVISION YOU WILL BE IN FOR ALL EVENTS**.
6. <u>Handicap:</u> Each event will be handicapped at 100% of 230.
7. <u>Divisions</u>: USBC youth tournament entering average will determine divisions.
8. <u>Entry:</u> Entries must be complete and average verified. If no composite average, please include a copy of league average sheet as of January 1, 2024.
9. <u>Entry Fee/Scholarship:</u> NO refunds (USBC rule 314)
    $35.00 FEE WILL BE ASSESSED FOR ALL RETURNED ITEMS.

DIVISIONS	Team	Doubles	Singles & All Events	
			Boys	Girls
Division A	536 & Over	261 & Over	150 & Up	140 & Up
Division B	535 & Under	260 & Under	149 – 120	139 – 110
Division C	N/A	N/A	119 & Under	109 & Under

Event	Entry Fee	Lineage	Scholarship	Awards/Plaques/Expenses
Team	$ 80.00	$ 48.00	$ 20.00	$ 12.00
Doubles	$ 40.00	$ 24.00	$ 10.00	$ 6.00
Singles	$ 20.00	$ 12.00	$ 5.00	$ 3.00
All Events Handicap (Optional)	$ 5.00	None	$ 4.00	$ 1.00
All Events Scratch (Optional)	$ 5.00	None	$ 4.00	$ 1.00

10. <u>Schedule:</u> Entries will be processed in the order received and availability. The schedule will not be changed except for an emergency. Lane assignments and times will be completed by the tournament manager(s). All lane assignments will be at the discretion of the tournament managers.
11. <u>Line-Up</u>: The line-up will be set as submitted on the entry form for each event.
12. <u>Lane Conditioning:</u> Lane conditioning will be done before each squad. Tournament oil pattern will be determined by GSLUSBC.
13. <u>Awards</u>: 100% of all scholarship monies collected will be returned based upon number of entries received in each division. All Tournament funded Scholarships will be determined with handicap scores taking precedence over scratch scores. *Paid entry into All Events is not required*.
14. <u>Added Scholarship funds and Additional Scholarships</u>: The Great Salt Lake USBC will add at least $5 per entry, per event into the scholarship funds. In addition, the GSLUSBC will award (16) additional scholarships. These 16 scholarships *are not* part of the scholarship funds generated by the Youth tournament and come specifically from GSLUSBC Unassigned funds. To be eligible for these specific additional scholarships you must be a member of the Great Salt Lake USBC and a current season Youth League member actively bowling on a Youth league serviced and held within the jurisdiction of the GSLUSBC Bowling Association (league subs do not qualify as active members). All Additional Scholarships will be determined with handicap scores taking precedence over scratch scores. *Paid entry into All Events is not required*. (GSLUSBC reserves the right to increase or adjust the amount of unassigned funds used for the benefit of the youth bowlers)
15. <u>Dress Code:</u> All bowlers may wear casual slacks, trousers, jeans, skorts and shorts. Boys' shorts must extent to within 3 inches of the knee, cargo and gym/athletic shorts are not allowed. Girls' shorts/skorts must extend beyond the fingertips when arms are naturally resting at their sides, skirts and gym/athletic shorts are not allowed. All bowlers are required to wear shirts with sleeves. Collared or Mock Collared shirts are preferred. Unacceptable attire includes, but not limited to:
    - Tank tops, shirts without sleeves or cut out sleeves, halter tops, bare midriffs, spaghetti strap tops, etc., workout attire, lounge pants, bib overalls, gym/athletic clothing, jeans that are torn, warn with or without skin showing, or in poor condition. Any clothing that is not clean
    - Hats (except for documented medical reasons)
    - Attire with inappropriate, questionable, or offensive language or graphics.
    - The GSLUSBC and tournament management will have final decisions on all dress code related issues and reserves the right to request/require any bowler to change any article of clothing determined not appropriate for tournament participation.
    - If a bowler refuses to change once requested, bowler will be disqualified and forfeit entry fee for the event(s) of occurrence.
    - There are NO exceptions.
16. <u>Conduct</u>: Bowlers are responsible for their conduct. Tournament officials have the right to disqualify any bowler whose conduct is derogatory or detrimental to the best interests of the tournament. No unreasonable delay in the progress of any game is permitted. (USBC rule 11) Absolutely NO alcohol consumption during the youth tournament within any of the assigned lanes (including the buffer). Only assigned bowlers and tournament officials will be permitted in the bowling area during competition (including the buffer).
17. <u>Electronic Devices</u>: No electronic devices will be allowed in the settee area except for medical reasons. Cell phones must be turned off during competition.
18. <u>Liability</u>: The entrants whose names appear thereon or their authorized replacements hereby agree that the Great Salt Lake Bowling Association (GLSUSBC), its officers or agents shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fee, if and when these entrants shall be prevented from bowling any event in the tournament through delay, unexpected yet necessary schedule change or premature termination of the tournament, which may be brought about by war, national emergency or emergencies of cause relating thereto or resulting there from, fire, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond its control.
19. <u>Entry Submission Dates</u>: Online entry close **Midnight January 2, 2024,** Paper entry close **postmark January 5, 2024, entries** received after these dates will be assigned based on space availability and squad size. Walk-ins must arrive at least 1 hour before squad start time.

*Additional Scholarships Available (see rule #14):
   ➢ $ 600.00 Paul Pullman Scholarship Award – All Events Handicap & Scratch – 1 Boy, 1 Girl – 13 & Above (total of 4) – Total Additional = $2,400.00
   ➢ $ 350.00 Elma Barnes Scholarship Award – All Events Handicap & Scratch – 1 Boy, 1 Girl – 12 & Under (total of 4) – Total Additional = $1,400.00
   ➢ $ 250.00 Tournament High Game & High Series – Handicap & Scratch – 1 Boy, 1 Girl – 13 & Above and 12 & Under (total of 8) – Total Additional = $2,000.00

All rules for the 2023/2024 Youth Tournament are subject to change due to concerns with COVID-19. This includes, but is not limited to, tournament dates, locations, format(s), operations and bowler services. All protests and appeals must be in accordance with USBC Rule 329. Anything not covered within the tournament rules will be governed by tournament management, GSLUSBC and USBC national playing rules.

WALK-IN ENTRIES WELCOME ~ BASED ON AVAILABILITY ~ ***MUST REGISTER 1 HOUR PRIOR TO SQUAD STARTING TIME***