



2ND ANNUAL OPEN TOURNAMENT BENEFITING VETERANS

FLINT HILLS LANES
1519 W 6TH AVE
EMPORIA, KS

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Team Name _____ Phone Number _____

Captain's Name _____

Captain's Address _____

City _____ State/Zip _____

Home Bowling Center _____

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

Doubles \$ _____

Singles \$ _____

Scratch A/E \$ _____

HDCP A/E \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

Check # _____

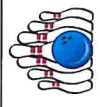


Reserved Entries Close at Midnight
November 30, 2023
Entries Close at Midnight
December 30, 2023

Funds without entry
WILL NOT hold your spot

PRIZE RATIO is 1:8 (T, S&D)
100% of Prize Fund Returned
PRIZE RATIO IS 1:10 (All Events)

THIS TOURNAMENT WILL BE SANCTIONED BY THE USBC
USBC CARDS MUST BE PRESENTED AT TIME OF CHECK-IN
See rule #1 for non sanctioned bowlers



TEAM	DBLS	SGLS
Prize Fund	\$50	\$20
Bowling Expt	\$50	\$20
Expense Fee	\$10	\$4
Veterans	\$15	\$6
TOTALS	\$125	\$50

TEAM CAPTAINS:
Make checks payable to
Flint Hills Lanes

Mail entries to: *Attn: Veterans Tournament*
Flint Hills Lanes
1519 W. 6th Ave., Emporia, KS 66801

ATTENTION TEAM CAPTAINS:
There will be **NO REFUNDS**
Please read the tournament rules on reverse side of the entry form.
Entries will be given priority in the order they are received.
Team captains will be notified of their squad times.

Please make your own hotel reservations
With any questions, please call: 620.343.2695
Multiple Team Entry - see Rule #10
Multiple S/D Entry - see Rule #10



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SINGLES/DOUBLES	AVG	USBC #	A/E HDCP \$5	A/E SCRATCH \$10
1				
2				
1				
2				
1				
2				

Total per person = \$50 (\$25 per event per person) ALL-EVENTS IS OPTIONAL (\$5 HDCP) & (\$10 SCRATCH)

TOURNAMENT DATES

- January 6,7
- January 13,14
- January 20,21
- January 27,28

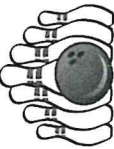
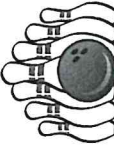


Squad Times
(allow for lane dressing between squads)

Team - Saturday @ 11am... Saturday @ 3pm
Doubles/Singles - Sunday @ 9am ... Sunday @ 1:30pm

*** ONLY USBC CARD REQUIRED - NO OTHER MEMBERSHIP DUES ***

2024 2ND ANNUAL OPEN TOURNAMENT BENEFITING VETERANS RULES

- 1 All participants must be members of the USBC and hold a current membership card. Should the participant not hold a current USBC card, they can be purchased on-site at the tournament for \$32. There will be no other membership dues that are required to participate in this tournament.
 - 2 It is **NOT** required that you are a Veteran to participate in this tournament. The tournament will be open to **ALL** entrants (Male and Female)
 - 3 Of each entry, \$3 will be benefiting: Dwight D. Eisenhower VA Medical Center (Leavenworth), Colimery-O'Neil VA Medical Center (Topeka) and Robert J. Dole VA Medical Center (Wichita). Should there be 50 teams, 125 doubles & 250 singles entries, the above listed Kansas Veterans Hospitals will receive a total of \$2,250.00 on behalf of the Open Tournament Benefiting Veterans to be distributed equally.
 - 4 Additionally, \$1 from each optional \$5 bracket will benefit a Kansas Veterans organization.
 - 5 The annual bowling tournament shall include competition in the five-member Team, Doubles, Singles and All-Events. Contestants entering Doubles **MUST** also enter Singles (and vice-versa) on the same entry blank. Paid All-Events are non-transferrable unless the substitute replaces the original entrant in all three events and the transfer is made by the Tournament Director (or Assistant) prior to the substitute's participation in the event.
 - 6 Handicap is to be based on 90% of 220. Entrants will use their highest USBC league average based on a minimum of 21 games for the 2022-2023 season. If there is no average from the 2022-2023 season, the highest 21 game (as of January 1, 2024) current USBC sanctioned average must be used. If there is no average that meets the criteria listed above, entrants must use 170 for their entering average that is subject to re-rate. (Brackets will not be accepted for anyone using the assigned average).
 - 7 Five-member Teams and Doubles will bowl in the order they are entered on the entry blank. **There will be NO order changing once the entry blank has been submitted.** Substitutes will bowl in the position in the line up of the person they are replacing.
 - 8 In the event of mechanical failure, it is hereby agreed that the contestants effected shall be moved to the next available pair of lanes.
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- *Note(s) from the Tournament Director***
- 9 Check-In time is to be 45 minutes prior to the posted squad start time.
 - 10 **MULTIPLE ENTRIES:** Bowlers may enter the Team Event unlimited number of times, providing that not more than three members of the original team bowl on any subsequent entry. Bowlers may enter the Singles and Doubles event unlimited number of times providing they bowl with a different doubles partner each entry. Bowlers entering Singles multiple times must understand they can only cash in the top 10 of the Singles event once (Example... if Bowler "A" places 1st and 4th in Singles, they will be placed 1st and 11th respectively).
 - 11 All entry fees must be paid in-full and must accompany the entry blank. **Make remittances payable to: Flint Hills Lanes.** No entry fees will be refunded.
 - 12 All entrants' first and last names must be listed; do not list nicknames.
PENALTIES: Tardy players will start in the frame being bowled with zero being given for each frame missed. Use of an ineligible player or reporting and incorrect average will nullify all claims for any prize or award.
 - 13 It shall be each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of his/her average, whether originally submitted by the bowler, team captain or somebody else. Failure to use the proper average, or make a correction prior to the start of competition, shall disqualify the score if the submitted average is lower than the actual average.
 - 14 Protests or errors in scoring or calculations must be made in writing to the Tournament Management within 24 hours after bowling or the scores will stand.
 - 15 The tournament Director/Manager has the right to re-rate/average adjustment when necessary.
 - 16 All prize checks must be cashed within 90 days.
 - 17 The 3rd Annual Open Tournament Benefiting Veterans to be held in Lawrence, KS.
 - 18 Teams wishing to bowl together must submit entry forms together
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- *Note(s) from the Tournament Director***
- TEAM Event practice time will begin 15 minutes prior to the squad start time (Example: Practice will begin Saturday at 10:45am for 11am and 2:45pm for 3pm squad time)
- S/D Event practice time will begin 10 minutes prior to the squad start time (Example: Practice will begin Sunday at 8:50am for 9am and 1:20pm for 1:30pm squad time)