

2022-23 KSBPA YOUTH-ADULT TOURNAMENT

Please check the Division you are participating in:

Parent/ Youth: Youth Ages 11 & under _____

Parent/Teen: Ages 12 to 18 (See Rule 2) _____

Youth Bowler: _____ Male _____ Female

Name _____

Date of Birth (as of July 31, 2022) _____

Youth USBC Number _____

Year of High School Graduation _____

2021-22 Ending Average _____ #Games _____

Current Average _____ #Games _____ Date _____

Youth Phone Number _____

Adult Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Please check the Division you are participating in:

Adult/Youth: Youth Ages 11 & under _____

Adult/Teen: Ages 12 to 18 (See Rule 2) _____

Adult Bowler: _____ Male _____ Female

Name _____

Address _____

City, State & Zip _____

Relationship to Bowler _____

2021-22 Ending Average _____ #Games _____

Current Average _____ #Games _____ Date _____

Check if establishing a average _____

Adult Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

House Entry: Date _____

Game	Game	Game	
1 _____	2 _____	3 _____	Scratch Total _____
Average _____		Handicap _____	
		Youth Bowler Handicap Total _____	
		Adult Bowler Handicap Total _____	
		Total Team Handicap Total _____	

House Entry: Date _____

Game	Game	Game	
1 _____	2 _____	3 _____	Scratch Total _____
Average _____		Handicap _____	
		Adult Bowler Handicap Total _____	
		Youth Bowler Handicap Total _____	
		Total Team Handicap Total _____	

Regional Entry: Date _____

Game	Game	Game	
1 _____	2 _____	3 _____	Scratch Total _____
Average _____		Handicap _____	
		Youth Bowler Handicap Total _____	
		Adult Bowler Handicap Total _____	
		Total Team Handicap Total _____	

Regional Entry: Date _____

Game	Game	Game	
1 _____	2 _____	3 _____	Scratch Total _____
Average _____		Handicap _____	
		Adult Bowler Handicap Total _____	
		Youth Bowler Handicap Total _____	
		Total Team Handicap Total _____	

CENTER QUALIFYING: OCTOBER 10, 2022 THROUGH MARCH 5, 2023
REGIONAL FINALS: MARCH 18-19-25-26- APRIL 1-2, 2023 SITES TO BE SELECTED
STATE FINALS: MAY 13-14 - May 20-21, 2023 The Alley Hutchinson

House Entry Center & City _____

Proprietor/Youth Official Verifying Averages _____

I HAVE READ THE RULES ON THE BACK OF THIS ENTRY AND VERIFY ALL INFORMATION ABOVE IS CORRECT.

Signature of Adult Bowler _____

2022-2023

KSBPA YOUTH-ADULT TOURNAMENT RULES

- The youth bowlers in this tournament must be USBC YOUTH certified members throughout the entire stage of qualifying. THE ADULT BOWLERS DO NOT NEED TO BE USBC CERTIFIED.
- ELIGIBILITY – YOUTH BOWLERS**
PARENT/YOUTH DIVISION – USBC Youth Division members who are 11 years of age or under as of July 31, 2022.
PARENT/TEEN DIVISION – USBC Youth Division members who are 12 years of age or older but have not reached their 18th birthday as of July 31, 2022.
ELIGIBILITY – ADULT BOWLERS -- Only parents, step- parents, grandparents, step-grandparents, great grandparents, step-great grandparents or court-appointed legal guardians in Parent/Youth and Teen Divisions. All other adults must enter the Adult/Youth and Adult Teen Divisions.
- FORMAT** -- Center qualifying is held October 10, 2022, through March 5, 2023 *in BPAA-member centers only*. High School may not participate in this tournament during the High School Bowling Season once it officially starts. Advancement from Center to Region will be on a 1 out of 2 (or any part of 2) entries per Division. Advancement from Region to State will be on a 1 out of 2 (or any part of 2) entries per Division. (i.e., 3 entries would have 2 qualifiers) Bowlers may compete more than once with the same partner at the CENTER level. Bowlers may compete only ONCE with the same partner at the Regional & State Levels. *Multiple participation will depend on the limitations of tournament management to schedule squads.*
- HANDICAP** -- 90% of the difference between the bowlers’ average and 220.
- AVERAGES – YOUTH BOWLERS** – Current USBC Youth Certified average or 2021-22 the season-ending average **whichever is higher**. Current average must have been established in certified league play (in one league) *and must include travel league averages*. Current averages must be a minimum of 15 games for bowlers in the Teen Division, and a minimum of 9 games for bowlers in the Youth Division. If the youth bowler has neither of the above averages, he or she must bowl scratch (220). Averages set on modified lane conditions (bumpers, shortened lanes, etc.) are not eligible. No sport lane condition averages. NOTE: **To be able to compete in the State finals, the youth bowler must have a 21 game average either from the previous year or from the current 2022-23 season.** If neither of these is available, the youth bowler would be scratch with 220. If from the 2022-23 season, the average for at least 21 games would be as of March 1, 2023. The March 1, 2023 average will be requested with their signup information for the State Finals.
- AVERAGES – ADULT BOWLERS** – **HIGHEST VERIFIED** average from the 2021-22 season of 21 or the current season verified average at the time of entry indicating # of games at the time of entry. If the adult bowler has none of these averages, they will establish an average with their 3 games bowled In-House. This average will also be used for their Region competition. Adults establishing an average or entering with a current average of less than 21 games will have all their games bowled In-house and Region calculated or added to their current average for re-rating at the State Finals. Adult entrants who have ever been re-rated, refused a re-rate, or been disqualified in a tournament must report this at every level of the tournament for possible re-rate. The tournament director reserves the right to reject any entry with the return of the entry fee.
- SUBSTITUTE BOWLERS** – Substitutes are not permitted at any level of this tournament. If for any reason an entrant is not able to advance to any subsequent level of competition with his/her partner, then his/her team spot will be forfeited and the team next in place will be eligible.
- All matters not covered by these House & State Rules will be handled by the Kansas State BPA Tournament Committee, and all decisions of same will be final.

AVERAGES AT STATE FINALS – The adult bowler and the youth bowler must use the adult Verified and youth USBC certified in-house entering average, unless the adult Verified or Youth USBC certified league average through March 1, 2023, of 21 or more games is higher, then that average must be used. **The state finals average for the youth bowler must be a USBC certified league average for at least 21 games.** If the adult or youth bowler has neither average, the bowler must bowl scratch (220). *If the average through March 1, 2023, for any bowler is lower than the in-house entering average for 21 games or more, then the in-house entering average will be used at the State Finals.* Adults establishing an average or entering with a current average of less than 21 games will have their 6 games bowled In-house and Region calculated or added to their current average for re-rating at the State Finals.

Smart scholarships (4) will be awarded in all divisions based on a minimum of 30 entries per division or adjusted accordingly.

- 1st Place - \$800 Scholarship
- 2nd Place - \$400 Scholarship
- 3rd Place - \$200 Scholarship
- 4th Place - \$100 Scholarship

ENTRY FEES: Center Level-\$8.00 Total for State + Center Bowling & Expense Fee
 Region Level-\$8.00 Total for State + Region Bowling & Expense Fee
 State Level only-\$35.00/Team+\$20 Bowling, \$15.00 Expense & Awards

9 Game Handicap Series Scholarships for 1 Boy and 1 Girl - \$250 Each. This is for the 9 games bowled in the three levels of competition (house, zone and state) from entries in all four divisions: Parent/Youth, Parent/Teen, Adult/Youth and Adult/Teen.

TOTAL SCHOLARSHIPS TO BE AWARDED IN THE FOUR DIVISIONS IS \$6500 BASED ON MINIMUM ENTRIES.

All scholarships will be administered through the SMART Fund.