

SD USBC - BANNER TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE 2012 - 2013

Date / Time
October 20th, 2012
Check in 11:45 - 12:45
Bowl at 1:00 PM

Bowling Center
Kearny Mesa Bowl
7585 Clairemont Mesa Blvd
Limited to 30 teams Deadline Oct. 13th

November 17th
Check in 11:45 - 12:45
Bowl at 1:00 PM

Mira Mesa Lanes
8210 Mira Mesa Blvd (858) 578-0500
Limited to 40 teams Deadline Nov. 2nd

This is the Banner and Youth City Tournament COMBINED

December 15th JR/ADULT Event
Check in 11:45 - 12:45
Bowl at 1:00 PM

Parkway Bowl
1280 Fletcher Pkwy (619) 448-4111
Limited to 40 Teams Deadline Dec. 8th

This is the bi-annual Adult/Youth Banner Tournament

January 19th, 2013
Check in 11:45 - 12:45
Bowl at 1:00 PM

Admiral Robinson Center (619) 556-7486
2375 Recreation Wy. Bldg 330
Limited to 30 teams Deadline Jan 12th

February 16th, 2013
Check in 11:45 - 12:45
Bowl at 1:00 PM

Mira Mesa Lanes
8210 Mira Mesa Blvd (858) 578-0500
Limited to 40 teams Deadline Feb. 9th

March 2013 - NO Tournament this Month - This is Pepsi Month

April 20th, 2013
Check in 11:45 - 12:45
Bowl at 1:00 PM

Kearny Mesa Bowl
7585 Clairemont Mesa Blvd
Limited to 30 teams Deadline April 13th

May 18th, 2013
Check in 11:45 - 12:45
Bowl at 1:00 PM

Parkway Bowl
1280 Fletcher Pkwy (619) 448-4111
Limited to 40 Teams Deadline May 11th

June 15th, 2013 Banner Scholarship
Check in 11:45 - 12:45
Bowl at 1:00 PM

Brunswick Premier Lanes
845 Lazo Ct. Chula Vista (619) 421-4801
Limited to 40 teams Deadline June 8th

This is the Scholarship Tournament!!

USBC San Diego
4400 Palm Ave

Lynn Graves, Office Manager
La Mesa, CA 91941
(619) 697-3334

All Bowlers must bowl 4 Banner Tournaments to
qualify for Scholarship Tournament.

\$20.00 entry fee per bowler
Mira Mesa Lanes contact:
Al White (858) 442-0824



SDUSBC YOUTH BANNER TOURNAMENT RULES
A Monthly "Team Event" Tournament
2012-2013 SEASON
USBC Certification

All rules covered in this section pertain to the regular monthly SDUSBC YOUTH Banner Tournaments bowled October 2012 – June 2013, with exception of the Youth/Adult tournaments held in December/May.

In addition to the SDUSBC Banner Tournament, you will be participating in a chance to bowl in the end of the season scholarship tournament. To be eligible for the scholarship tournament a bowler must have bowled in four SDUSBC Banner Tournaments. See Rule 23.

SDUSBC YOUTH Banner Tournaments Schedule: ENTRIES MUST BE SENT TO BANNER CHAIRMAN ONE WEEK PRIOR TO SCHEDULED MONTHLY TOURNAMENT.

October 20, 2012	1:00PM	Kearny Mesa Bowl (Limited to 40 Teams) #2930
** November 17, 2012	1:00PM	Mira Mesa Lanes: <u>Combined Banner & Youth City Tournament Limited to 40 Teams</u> #3179
December 15, 2012	1:00PM	Parkway Bowl Youth/Adult (Limited to 40Teams) #10687
January 19, 2013	1:00PM	Admiral Robinson (Limited to 30Teams) #2203
February 16, 2013	1:00PM	Mira Mesa Lanes Youth/Adult(Limited to 40 Teams) #3179
March, 2013		PEPSI TOURNAMENT THIS MONTH
April 20, 2013	1:00PM	Kearny Mesa Bowl (Limited to 30 Teams) #2930
May 18, 2013	1:00PM	Parkway Bowl (Limited to 40Teams) #10687
June 15, 2013	1:00 PM	Scholarship Tournament Premier Lanes (Limited to 40 Teams) #20088

1) **ELIGIBILITY:** Open to all certified youth male and female through San Diego USBC, currently bowling in a league and in good standing with USBC. Current USBC membership card is required at all tournaments and must be presented upon request. (No cards will be sold on site.)

- a) Have **NEVER** bowled in any tournament or league where cash is offered as a prize to youth. All youth participants must abide by USBC Rule 400.
- b) Entry to military bases will require driver's license and vehicle information for admittance.

2) **ENTERING AVERAGE:** Verification of average must be submitted at time of check in. Entering average will be Banner Tournament average, current average of 4 games or more, San Diego USBC highest Book average, if no book, use current summer average. If none, bowler will bowl scratch in accordance with Rule 319b. **VERIFICATION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL OTHER AVERAGES:** If bowler has more than one youth league average, the highest youth league average will be used. The SDUSBC reserves the right to re-rate any bowler prior to commencement of the tournament, if the re-rated average is not accepted by the bowler, the entry fee shall be refunded (rule 319b)

3) **HANDICAP:** Handicaps will be computed using 90% of 800 4-team/1000 5-team. The teams over 700 will bowl scratch unless bowling a team whose average is under 700.

4) **TEAMS:** Teams may consist of any mixture of four/five youth members. Partial teams are accepted and will use a vacancy score for the missing bowler (s), (max two vacancy scores per team). Handicap is based on the team's average. Each team will be matched up with a team with nearly the same total average as possible.

- a. Vacancy is the lowest average from the opposite team. USBC Rule 105-2 league rule section will apply.

5) **ENTRY FEE:** The entry fee is \$11.00 per bowler. Lineage: \$7.50/ \$3.50 going to the Scholarship fund for the June Scholarship Tournament. Entry fees to be paid by each participant to his/her coach. **NO-CHECKS ACCEPTED - FEES MUST BE PAID IN CASH.** Fees from the Banner Tournaments will be banked monthly. The coach will then pay for all of their teams as a whole at the check-in table and present a **BANNER** for each team entered. In the absence of a Banner a \$5.00 deposit per missing banner will be collected. The deposit will be refunded at next Banner Tournament when replaced with a banner. If banner is not received, the \$5.00 will go into the Scholarship fund and a SDUSBC banner awarded in its place.

6) **DECEMBER/FEBRUARY YOUTH/ADULT TOURNAMENTS:** Teams will consist of one Adult and four Youth bowlers (no vacancy scores to take place of adult bowler, but may for youth bowler, minimum one youth vacancy score to be used). Adult bowler must be a SDUSBC member in good standing using their highest USBC league current average based on 21 games or more, 2011-2012 book average, if none, 2012 summer average, or will bowl scratch. Awards do not apply to the adult bowler. Adult will bowl anchor. Sport averages will be accepted and re-rated.

7) **ENTRY CHECK-IN: WILL BEGIN ONE HOUR AND FIFTEEN MINUTES PRIOR TO START OF EACH TOURNAMENT.** The Host Center teams will bowl for a SDUSBC Banner if there is a vacant team.

8) **SUBSTITUTIONS:** Substitutions will be made with the approval of the Tournament Director and must meet ALL eligibility requirements and bowl in the position of the bowler being replaced, **the order may not be changed.** Substitutes are the responsibility of the submitting coach/center. All substitutes or replacements **MUST PRESENT VERIFICATION OF MEMBERSHIP AND AVERAGE.** Substitute team average may not be more than 50 pins to replace the dropped team.

- 9) **COMPETITION:** Will bowl (3) games. Bowlers shall receive ten (10) minutes of practice prior to the event.
- 10) **Tardy bowlers:** shall receive a zero for each frame missed.
- 11) **MONITORS:** Only appointed monitors are permitted in the Bowlers Area. Monitors are responsible for verifying scores and recap sheets at the completion of each game, before scores are cleared for that game. Only monitors or tournament officials may make corrections or authorize corrections to be made. Score monitors are responsible for returning completed recap sheets to the tournament director.
- 12) **AUTHORITY OF COACHES:** Any approved coach has the right to stop play on a pair of lanes for any infraction of the rules. Approved Coaches must wear coach's shirt or RVP Badge.
- 13) **COACHING:** Absolutely no UNSOLICITED coaching will be allowed during tournament play by either coaches or parents.
- 14) **ATTIRE:** APPROPRIATE attire includes collared shirts or USBC Youth jersey. The following shall be considered INAPPROPRIATE Attire for the SDUSBC Youth Banner Tournament: cut-off or cut-up pants of any type. Short shorts, half shirts, tank tops, muscle shirts, tube tops, sagging pants, strapless or halter tops, caps, hats or visors. Any attire or equipment promoting alcohol or tobacco products or sexually suggestive material or containing profanity will not be allowed. Walking shorts, "skorts and skirts" cannot be more than 3-1/2" above the knee. Bowlers not conforming to dress code will not be allowed to bowl in the event. The tournament director will make final decision on any questionable attire. A sample of dress code will be displayed at the check-in desk.
- 15) **AWARDS:** Banners will be awarded to each winning team by the opposing team. Banners shall be presented after recaps have been verified by tournament Officials, either at the completion of bowling or at the next Banner Tournament. In case of a tie, the teams shall exchange banners. UNOPPOSED TEAMS shall be awarded a SDUSBC Banner if they bowl within 150 pins of their team average for the three game series. The Tournament Official shall keep account of all awards earned. These awards shall be given to the coaches at the next Banner Tournament.
- 16) **BANNERS:** Banners are made of FELT and shall be 12 inches by 24 inches forming a triangle. Each banner must include the name of the bowling establishment being represented. NO GLITTER OR SEQUINS will be allowed on the banners (gelled glitter decorator pens are exempt, but must be approved by the Tournament Official).
- 17) **DURING BOWLING THE FOLLOW IS PROHIBITED:**
- a. No smoking during the tournament.
 - b. Food & beverages will be permitted during the tournament, but must be kept out of the bowling area.
 - c. No gum chewing permitted in bowlers' area.
 - d. No alcoholic beverages permitted in the bowling area or by youth bowlers.
 - e. **ANY DISPLAY OF FOUL LANGUAGE OR ABUSING EQUIPMENT** will result in
 - 1) warning,
 - 2) disqualification, subject to the discretion of the tournament director.

Please behave as young professionals.
 - f. No display of anger or discontent through the use of language or gestures.
 - g. No playing of arcade games or electronic equipment (i.e. I-Pods, cell phones, no text messaging) during the tournament.
- 18) **FOULS:** Foul lights found to be malfunctioning may be turned off and it is up to the bowlers on the pair to monitor.
- 19) **PROTEST & APPEALS:** See USBC RULE Book # 329. Protest/Appeal must be filed within 72 hours from the infraction for the Youth Tournament.
- 20) **BOWLERS RESPONSIBILITY:** Entry into any event constitutes acceptance of and adherence to all USBC rules.
- 21) **EVENT CHANGE/CANCELLATION:** In the event of a change or cancellation to the tournament the coach of your Center will be notified of the new time and date for the event.
- 22) **SCHOLARSHIP TOURNAMENT:** Is a singles tournament with format as follows: 12 and under will bowl 4 games first round, 3 games semi-finals round, step ladder format to determine the winners. 13 and over will bowl 6 games first round, 4 games for semi-final round, step ladder format to determine the winners. Trophies for 1st Place Step Ladder Winners in each division.
- 23) **OTHER RULES:** All rules not specifically covered will follow the rules in Chapters 6 of the USBC Tournament Rule Book as well as the rules adopted by tournament management. Management strongly urges bowlers' to notify the tournament director with any problems that may occur during the tournament.

ANY INFRACTION OF THESE RULES MAY BE GROUNDS FOR DISQUALIFICATION IN THESE EVENTS

** City Tournament Rules shall apply to this tournament.
Banners will be awarded