# 2018 San Diego USBC CITY TOURNAMENT

Open & Women's <u>HDCP</u>Tournament

Team/Doubles/Singles/All Events

(Sanction cards shall be shown at each check in)
(No cards will be sold on site)

## **Team Events**

Parkway Bowl (619-448-4111) 1280 Fletcher Pkwy El Cajon Sq 1 Saturday - April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018 Check in 11AM (Bowl at Noon)

(Opening ceremonies prior to bowling)

Sq 2 Sunday - April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018 Check in 9AM (Bowl at 10AM)

## **Doubles & Singles**

Kearny Mesa Bowl (858-279-1501) 7585 Clairemont Mesa Blvd. Saturday - April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Squad 3 - Check in 11AM (Bowl at Noon)

Squad 4 - Check in at 2 PM (Bowl at 3:00 PM)

Sunday - April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Squad 5 - Check in 9AM (Bowl at 10AM)

Squad 6 - Check in at 12 Noon (Bowl ast 1:00 PM)

## Entry Fee - \$30.00 per event - \$10.00 All Events

Prize Fund \$19.75 Expenses \$2.00 Linage \$8.25

Make checks payable to SDUSBC (Entry closing date & Mail-in entries need to be post marked by March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018)



Deliver or Mail entries to: San Diego USBC 4400 Palm Ave. Suite B La Mesa, CA 91942

**Tournament USBC Certified** 

### San Diego USBC City Championships

#### Tournament Rules

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

- 1) Open to current 2017/2018 Winter League sanctioned bowlers of the San Diego USBC jurisdiction with 21 games or more.
- 2) Multi Members shall have purchased a Multi-member card (USBC Rule 101) and also be bowling in a 2017/2018 Winter League under SDUSBC jurisdiction with 21 games or more.

#### **ENTERING AVERAGE:**

- 1) Shall be the highest sanctioned 2016-2017 Book (including Summer 2017) of at least 21 games or more.
- 2) If none of the above, an average of 230 shall be assigned.
- 3) If you bowl in sanctioned standard leagues, the highest average shall be used. If you only have a sanctioned Sport/Challenged condition league average of 21 games or more, this average shall be adjusted according to the USBC conversion chart. If the bowler does not accept adjusted average, the entry fee shall be refunded.
- 4) USBC RULE 319 D waived for this tournament.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION AND RULES: -**

- Any NSF returned checks will cost a \$35.00 service charge any bank changes.
- Bowlers shall not be entitled to a refund after fees have been received and lane assignments are issued by the association.
   Exceptions shall be determined by the Tournament Manager.
- 3) The Tournament Manager may refuse any team or individual to bowl if it is determined that the entry does not meet the membership and tournament requirements.
- 4) In the event a bowler is tardy, may still participate starting in the frame currently being bowled, however shall receive "zero" for the frames missed.
- 5) If a bowler cannot continue due to an injury/illness and no replacement is available, the team receives "zero" for that bowler.
- 6) Line-up changes shall not be permitted once the entry has been submitted, squad times, and lane have been assigned by the Tournament Manager.
  - 7) Entrants may participate two (2) times in the team event. No more than 2 bowlers on 1 team can place more than once in the prize list for position standings. (See USBC Rule 315B-1). **Open bowlers(men)** may participate ONLY ONCE IN THE DOUBLES AND SINGLES EVENTS. **Women bowlers** may participate once in doubles & singles in **Open & Women events**.
- 8) When a bowler is a member of more than one team, the FIRST SCORE bowled in team event shall count for the ALL-EVENTS
- 9) Two (2) Pro-Bowlers per team and one (1) per doubles team is permitted.
- 10) Handicap is based on 90% of 230 scratch.
- 11) No practice is permitted on your scheduled lanes the day of tournament.
- 12) **Substitutions:** are permitted in each event (Team/Doubles/Singles) and shall bowl in same position as person replaced. Any monetary arrangements shall be agreed upon between original bowler and substitute with written copy to Tournament Manager. If possible changes can be made at the SDUSBC office prior to entry closing date or at check-in which is 1 hour before squad start time
- 13) NO PACERS ALLOWED.
- 14) **Scheduling:** Tournament Manager shall schedule squad times requested on entry if possible. If necessary, due to lack of entries or too few requests for specific squad time, may be changed to different squad/day and team captain shall be notified.
- 15) All Events: This is optional and must be paid before entry closing date. Exceptions shall be addressed by the Tournament Manager.
- Awards: Team champions (4), Doubles Champions (2), Singles Champion (1) and All Events Champion for Open and Women (16)
- 17) **Prize Money:** Shall be 100% returned and distributed as follows: Team/Doubles/Singles (1) for every (7) entries, All events (1) for every (12) in both Open and Women.
- 18) Bowlers shall remain on same pair of lanes for both doubles and singles events.
- 19) **Equipment:** altering the surface of bowling balls, using abrasives, cleaner, or polish is prohibited once competition has started. <u>The outer surface may only be cleaned with a dry towel</u>. Also, no modifications allowed that may affect bowling ball balance, such as weight, or existing finger/thumb holes also prohibits equipment modification between doubles and singles events. **Penalty:** First offence, bowler is warned, and ball removed. Second offence is disqualification.
- 20) Approach, Foreign Substance: No foreign substance is permitted to be applied to bowling shoes or approaches. This includes, but is not limited to: powder, rosin, easy slide, soap/slide stone, polish wax, and like products. Any question/concerns contact Tournament Manager. Penalty: First offence, bowler is warned. Second offence is disqualification.

#### Protests:

**USBC Rule 329** Any protest affecting eligibility or general rules <u>MUST</u> be submitted in writing to the Association Manager before the awards and prize payments are made. The board of directors shall have the power to act on all protests. The Tournament Committee shall have authority to act on all matters pertaining to the tournament. Appeals from the Tournament Committee shall be filed in writing to the National USBC in Arlington, TX also prior to awards & prize monies are distributed. The decision of National USBC is final and binding..

#### Dress Code:

Collared, sports type or plain t-shirts, long pants, clean jeans (no holes), knee length walking shorts are permitted.

<u>UNACCEPTABLE ATTIRE</u>: Hats,tank/halter/spaghetti tops, bib overalls, short shorts, leggings, sweat pants <u>NOT</u> permitted.

Any dress code questions or concerns shall be addressed by the Chairman of the committee. Tournament Manager decision is final.