



2012 OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

SCHEDULE DATES/TIMES:

TEAM: Sat, Feb. 25 at Noon or 3:30pm

TEAM: Sun, Mar. 4 at 8:30am,
Noon or 3:30pm

D/S: Sun, Feb. 26 at 8:30am,
Noon or 3:30pm

D/S: Sat, Mar. 3 at Noon,
3:30pm or 6pm

TEAM:

Valencia Lanes

23700 Lyons Ave.
Newhall, CA 91321
(661) 222-9080

DOUBLES SINGLES:

Canoga Park Bowl

20122 Vanowen St.
Winnetka, CA 91306
(818) 340-5190

TEAM DIVISIONS:	
SCRATCH	800 & 860
A	641 – 799
B	640 & UNDER
DOUBLES DIVISIONS:	
SCRATCH	400 & 430
A	321 – 399
B	320 & UNDER
SINGLES DIVISIONS:	
SCRATCH	200 & OVER
A	161 – 199
B	160 & UNDER

\$25 PER EVENT/PER PERSON

\$10 OPTIONAL ALL-EVENS

ENTRIES CLOSE:

FEB. 10, 2012

List Squad Choices (in order of precedence):

TEAM: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

D/S: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

HANDICAP: 80% of 200

**CLEAN 30 POT; SCRATCH, HANDICAP & SR. SINGLES POTS;
& BRACKETS AVAILABLE ON-SITE**

TEAM EVENT: \$100 PER TEAM – LIST NAMES IN ORDER – LINEUP WILL NOT BE CHANGED

PRINT Bowler's Name (FIRST, LAST)	2011-12 USBC #	Highest Average <i>(list Local Assoc. est. from)</i>	Check One
1			<input type="checkbox"/> 4/15/11 <input type="checkbox"/> 1/1/12 <input type="checkbox"/> Curr <input type="checkbox"/> Sum.
2			<input type="checkbox"/> 4/15/11 <input type="checkbox"/> 1/1/12 <input type="checkbox"/> Curr <input type="checkbox"/> Sum.
3			<input type="checkbox"/> 4/15/11 <input type="checkbox"/> 1/1/12 <input type="checkbox"/> Curr <input type="checkbox"/> Sum.
4			<input type="checkbox"/> 4/15/11 <input type="checkbox"/> 1/1/12 <input type="checkbox"/> Curr <input type="checkbox"/> Sum.
Mark bowlers entered on a second team with an asterick*		TOTAL AVERAGES	

DOUBLES/SINGLES EVENT: \$50 PER PERSON – LIST NAMES IN ORDER – LINEUP WILL NOT BE CHANGED

PRINT Bowler's Name (FIRST, LAST)	All-Events	Average	Check One
1	<input type="checkbox"/> \$10 Optional		<input type="checkbox"/> 4/15/11 <input type="checkbox"/> 1/1/12 <input type="checkbox"/> Curr <input type="checkbox"/> Sum.
2	<input type="checkbox"/> \$10 Optional		<input type="checkbox"/> 4/15/11 <input type="checkbox"/> 1/1/12 <input type="checkbox"/> Curr <input type="checkbox"/> Sum.
1	<input type="checkbox"/> \$10 Optional		<input type="checkbox"/> 4/15/11 <input type="checkbox"/> 1/1/12 <input type="checkbox"/> Curr <input type="checkbox"/> Sum.
2	<input type="checkbox"/> \$10 Optional		<input type="checkbox"/> 4/15/11 <input type="checkbox"/> 1/1/12 <input type="checkbox"/> Curr <input type="checkbox"/> Sum.

TEAM NAME _____ (Suggestive names will be edited)

Team Captain (Print) _____ Center _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail (confirmations) _____

These rules, regulations, requirements and information must be read carefully before completing this form. An entry submitted without the required information and with incorrect fees remitted may be returned. **IMPORTANT:** Please list your squad times in precedence. We may not be able to schedule all your bowlers in the same squad. We will try our best to accommodate. Entries will be processed and scheduled in the order they are received.

MAIL ENTRY TO:

NLAC USBC – OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

15600 Devonshire St. #212, Granada Hills, CA 91344

Phone (818) 810-6263 • www.nlacbowling.com

Enclose entry form, total fees & average verification (if needed)

OFFICE USE ONLY

TEAM ENTRY NO:	
Team Total Fee	\$
D/S Total Fee	\$
All Events Total Fee	\$
ENTRY TOTAL FEE	\$
Team Date	Time
D/S Date	Time

2012 NLAC USBC OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS RULES

THIS IS A HANDICAP TOURNAMENT WITH A SCRATCH DIVISION. HANDICAP WILL BE 80% OF 200.

1. Choice of date and time shall be given according to the order which entries are received by the North Los Angeles County USBC Association (NLAC USBC) Association Manager.
2. All Bowlers must be members of the NLAC USBC to be eligible to bowl. Non-members living within the jurisdiction of this Association may enter by paying a membership fee. Members of another Association may bowl provided they have a NLAC USBC certified membership.
3. Team Captains must check-in with Tournament Officials at least thirty (30) minutes before scheduled squad time. Both members of doubles team must check-in. All substitutions in team lineup must be made thirty (30) minutes prior to scheduled squad time for bowling except when a replacement is necessary at site. Substitutes must show current USBC membership at check-in.
4. Only the Team Captain who signs the entry form may make a change in the schedule and this must be done by either a signed letter or in person at the Association Office or at the Tournament site.
5. **Lineup:** Order cannot be changed from original entry form. Subs bowl in the position of original bowler. Substitute bowler forms are available from the NLAC Office before the tournament or on-site, as needed.
6. **Attire:** Dress appropriately for a championship. No bare midribs or underwear showing. No cut-offs, tank or halter-tops or derogatory slogans. No sweats or warm up suits. Skirts and shorts must be no shorter than 3 inches above the knee.
7. Poor sportsmanship will disqualify bowler.
8. **Team entry fee:** \$10.50 lineage + \$13.50 prize + \$1 exp. = \$25 per person. **Doubles/Singles entry fee:** \$10.50 lineage + \$13.50 prize + \$1 exp. = \$25 per event. Only approved refunds at the discretion of the Tournament Manager allowed after the closing date. **Optional All-Events:** \$10 per person. No refunds after the closing date.
9. There shall be no less than one (1) prize paid for every ten (10) entries. Prize Fund shall be returned 100%. Members of the Championship Team, Singles, and Doubles shall receive an award provided by the Association.
10. **IMPORTANT:** Be familiar with USBC rule 319(b-e). Failure to comply with these rules may result in DISQUALIFICATION. See rules on Bowl.com. When a bowler's current 21 game average as of January 1, 2012 is 10 pins or more higher than the previous season's average, that average must be used. **IT IS THE BOWLER'S RESPONSIBILITY TO REPORT THE CORRECT AVERAGE.**
11. **ENTERING AVERAGES:**
 - a. Highest Book Average as of April 15, 2011, 21 games or more, if none,
 - b. Highest Average as of January 1, 2012, 21 games or more, if none,
 - c. Highest Current average as of tournament date, 21 games or more (must bring league sheet), if none,
 - d. Highest summer ending average, 21 games or more, if none,
 - e. Bowler shall enter at 200.

Tournament Director has the right to adjust a bowler's entering average.
12. **HANDICAP:** 80% of 200
13. Once a replacement has started an event, they must complete that event except in the case of an emergency.
14. **Team:** Any four bowlers. Three games. No individual shall be eligible to bowl more than two (2) times in the Team event. Not more than two (2) players on the same Team may place more than once in the prize list for Team position standings. No more than two (2) bowlers may compete together more than once in the Team event. First score bowled in Team counts toward All-Event total. **Doubles/Singles:** Any two bowlers. Three games Doubles, then three games Singles on adjacent pair. Averages determine division. No individual shall be eligible to bowl more than once in Doubles and Singles events. If a Bowler/Substitute enters the Singles event, they must also enter the Doubles event. Substitutions may be made in either event in the case of emergency.
15. Team event entrants may only have one (1) ball for use on the return rack.
16. Claims of errors in score keeping must be filed with NLAC Association Manager in writing within seventy-two (72) hours of the time the error was made.
17. The City Tournament Committee shall act as judges and settle all questions not covered by either the NLAC or the USBC Rule Book.
18. USBC Rule 320 gives Tournament Officials the right to move participants to lanes other than those assigned. Scores shall be continued from the last frame completed by the individual. No practice balls allowed.
19. TARDY bowlers shall start in the frame currently being bowled. A zero (0) shall be scored for all missed frames. There shall be no BLIND scores or pacers.
20. Protests must be filed with the Tournament Director in writing within 72 hours after the close of the tournament. All decisions of the tournament director are final.
21. Additional squads shall be added if all regular squads are filled prior to entry closing date.
22. **"CLEAN-30" optional side pot:** "CLEAN-30" is any three (3) games series in any event without an open frame. This optional pot shall be divided equally among all Tournament participants for that squad who pays the on-site entry fee. Bowlers can enter each squad they bowl. If no "CLEAN-30" is scored during that squad, the prize funds shall be DONATED to the BVL fund on behalf of the Tournament participants. Entry fee: \$10 per event (on-site).

The penalty for violation of any portion of these rules shall be possible suspension from USBC. Such suspension shall remain in force until removed by the legal committee of the USBC.

A Contract of Mutual Responsibility: To the Association Manager of the North Los Angeles County Bowling Association (NLAC USBC), acting for those whose names appear on this entry form. I hereby enter those listed in the events indicated and all agree to abide by the tournament and playing rules and regulations prescribed by the NLAC USBC, including all provisions set forth on the entry form, together with the playing rules and regulations of the United States Bowling Congress. Entry fees as shown on this entry form, are herewith enclosed for the events entered. The entrants whose names appear hereon or their authorized substitutes hereby agree that the NLAC USBC, its Officers and other agents shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fees if and when this Team shall be prevented from bowling any event in this Tournament, which may be brought about by fires, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond the control of the NLAC USBC. "Premature termination of the Tournament brought about by war, national emergency causes relating thereto or there from fires, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other reasons beyond the control of the NLAC USBC shall cause the foregoing prize schedule to be prorated in accordance with the number of entrants who have bowled in each of the respective events up to the time of termination".