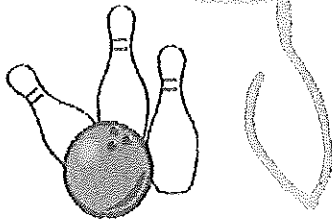


FLORIDA STATE



WOMEN'S BOWLING ASSOCIATION

**2017 ANNUAL TOURNAMENT
Ft. Myers, Florida**

EARLY:

Entries received before Feb. 1, 2017
PAY Regular Fees

LATE:

Entries received Feb. 1—Mar. 1, 2017
Requires an additional \$20 Fee

**NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED
AFTER MARCH 1, 2017 CLOSING**

TEAM HOUSE

Bowland Cape Coral Lanes
42 Mid Cape Terrace
Cape Coral, FL 33914
239-772-1661

**HANDICAPPED
100% of 220**

DOUBLES/SINGLES HOUSE

Pin Street at Ft. Myers
4140 Fowler St.
Ft. Myers, FL 33901
239-936-2695

Nonprofit Org.
U.S. Postage
PAID
Permit #1
Lakeland, FL

Florida State USBC Women's Bowling Assn., Inc.
P. O. Box 1166
Dade City, FL 33526-1166

FLORIDA STATE USBC WOMEN'S BOWLING ASSOCIATION—2017 TOURNAMENT RULES
Team Captain: PLEASE RETAIN FOR YOUR INFORMATION

- 1) All entrants in the FS-USBC-WBA Championship Tournament must be current members in their Local Association (if not merged, a Local WBA), Florida State USBC WBA and USBC or must have a current USBC unattached membership card.
 - a) An unmarried grade or high school student who has not attained the age of 18 must furnish written consent signed by her parents or guardian. The consent shall be on a USBC approved form and shall be on file with the Tournament Director at least one week before the bowler is eligible for tournament competition unless the student is accompanied by her parent/legal guardian in which case the parental consent form may be filed up to the time the student starts to bowl.
 - b) **PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED:** *Handicapped bowlers requiring aids such as crutches, canes, wheelchairs, etc., or who are blind must report this in writing when entry is submitted so special schedule consideration can be arranged. Similar additional notice must be given if such a handicapped bowler is to be a substitute.*
- 2) All references to average shall include averages established in USBC certified leagues and/or certified youth or collegiate leagues. Entrants in the FS-USBC-WBA Championship Tournament shall use their highest certified league average as of the end of the 2015-16 winter season, provided they have 21 games or more. If no 2015-16 winter USBC certified league average has been established, an entrant shall use her highest USBC certified 2016 summer league average of 21 games or more. If no 2015-16 winter or 2016 summer USBC certified average has been established, an entrant shall use her highest current league average for 21 GAMES OR MORE as of April 1, 2017 (must provide average verification). Bowlers who do not meet these requirements shall automatically be given a 220 average in each event in which they participate.

USBC Rule 319 DOES APPLY. All averages are subject to further verification by the Tournament Director. Tournament management reserves the right to adjust handicaps upward or downward in the event verification reveals incorrectly submitted averages.

THE ENTRANT MUST USE HER HIGHEST USBC CERTIFIED LEAGUE AVERAGE REGARDLESS OF WHETHER BOWLED AS A REGULAR MEMBER OR A SUBSTITUTE. The delivery used in tournament competition must be the same as that used in establishing the entering average. All winner's averages are subject to further verification by the State Assn. Mgr.

- 3) THE TOURNAMENT IS HANDICAPPED AT 100% OF 220 WITH ONE DIVISION AND OPTIONAL SCRATCH AND CHARITY EVENTS.
 - a) The State Championships are to be determined by the highest score rolled in each event, including all events.
 - b) In the event of a tie for first place in any event, co-champions will be declared. Equal awards will be given.
- 4) a) All entrants are automatically eligible for all events awards if they bowl team, doubles, and singles. To be eligible for the cash awards of the All Events an additional entry fee must accompany the entry form. Paid all events are not transferable unless the substitute replaces the original entrant in all three events and the transfer is made by the tournament director or her assistant prior to the time of the substitute's participation in any event.
 - b) Entry Fee Breakdown:

Entry Fee Cost to Bowlers					Prize Ratio		
	\$27.00	x	4	\$108.00	Total	1 out of 8 entries	\$108.00 (1 Team)
Optional	\$5.00	x	4	\$20.00	Total	1 out of 10 entries	
	\$27.00	x	2	\$54.00	Total	1 out of 8 entries	\$54.00 (1 Dbl.)
Optional	\$5.00	x	2	\$10.00	Total	1 out of 10 entries	
	\$27.00	x	1	\$27.00	Total	1 out of 8 entries	\$27.00 (1 Sgl.)
Optional	\$5.00	x	1	\$5.00	Total	1 out of 10 entries	
Optional	\$10.00	x	1	\$10.00	Total	1 out of 5 entries	
Optional	\$5.00	x	1	\$5.00	Total	1 out of 10 entries	
Optional	\$5.00	x	1	\$5.00	Total	1 out of 10 entries	

- 5) Members may participate twice in the team event ONLY. At least two players in the lineup must be different in order to place more than once in the prize list for position standings. Scores bowled by an ineligible player will be disqualified. All Events standing will be determined by the bowler's first appearance in the team event counts toward their all events.
- 6) Members entered in the doubles event MUST ALSO ENTER SINGLES and members entered in singles MUST ALSO ENTER DOUBLES event.
- 7) After entries have been received and dates assigned by the State Assn. Manager have been accepted, no fees shall be refunded.
- 8) All teams, and individuals not on teams, shall be notified in writing by the State Assn. Mgr. at least three (3) weeks before the opening of the tournament of the time they are scheduled to bowl in said tournament. No changes will be made in the entrant's scheduled time except in case of an emergency and any change must be approved by the State Assn. Mgr. or duly authorized FS-USBC-WBA official.
 - a) In all annual tournaments, the order of bowling events shall be decided by the State Assn. Mgr.

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 Fax: 352-521-3229
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 E-mail: floridawba@gmail.com

Florida State USBC WBA Tournament Entry Form—Ft. Myers, FL—2017

Contact Person (Please Print or Type All Information)

Nat'l. ID #:	
Name:	
Address:	
City/ST/Zip:	
Phone #:	
E-mail Address:	
Home Assn:	
Team Name:	

Remit by Cashier's Check, Money Order or Credit Card to:

Florida State USBC WBA, Inc.
P. O. Box 1166
Dade City, FL 33526-1166
Ph: 352-521-3660
E-mail: floridawba@gmail.com

Office Use Only

Date	Entry Number
Check or Money Order	
Amount	Team Code

I have read the tournament rules and general information. I agree to abide by all rules as a condition of entry and understand I am subject to disqualification for violation of any rules for the Championship Tournament.

TEAM EVENT (Lineup order will not be changed)

Team Lineup	USBC #	1st Choice		Avg.	Check Applicable Boxes		Opt. Hdep. Charity Breast Cancer \$10 ea.	Individual Total
		2nd Choice	Date Preference:		Hdep. Team \$27 ea.	Opt. Team Scratch \$5 ea.		
1.			Time Preference: Name & Address					\$
2.								\$
3.								\$
4.								\$
TOTAL TEAM AMTS. REMITTED:				Total	\$	\$	\$	\$

DOUBLES/SINGLES EVENTS (List lineup order (order will not be changed)

Opt. Doubles Scratch: Both doubles partners must enter
Check Applicable Boxes

D/S Pair Lineup	1st Choice		2nd Choice		Office Use Only		Hdep. Doubles \$27 ea.	Opt. Doubles Scratch \$5 ea.	Hdep. Singles \$27 ea.	Opt. Singles Scratch \$5 ea.	Opt. Hdep. All Events \$5 ea.	Opt. Scratch All Events \$5 ea.	Opt. Hdep. Charity BVL \$10 ea.	Individual Total
	Date:	Name	Date:	(Avg.)	Avg. Total	Dbls. Code								
1.	1.			()										\$
	2.			()										\$
2.	1.			()										\$
	2.			()										\$
3.	1.			()										\$
	2.			()										\$
TOTAL AMTS. for D/S/AE/Charity:							\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

Billing Information:

Card Type (Visa/MasterCard): _____
 Card Number: _____
 Expiration: Mo. _____ Yr. _____
 Card Verification Number: _____ (3 Digit CVV/CV2 Number)
 Name (as it appears on card): _____
 Address (card billing addr): _____
 City: _____
 State: _____
 Zip: _____
 Confirmation E-mail Address: _____

Team Total: \$ _____

D/S/AE: \$ _____

(EARLY Entry - Total to Remit to Office: \$ _____

After Feb. 1st add Late Fee: \$20.00

(LATE Entry—add \$20 Late Fee)
Total to Remit to Office: \$ _____

(Credit Card) ADD Service Charge: \$5.00

GRAND TOTAL FOR CREDIT CARD: \$ _____

By signing this form you give us permission to charge your credit or debit card for the amount indicated on or after the indicated date. This is permission for a single transaction only, and does not provide authorization for any additional debits or credits to your account.

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1) List the names and National ID number of the bowlers as they appear on the sanctioned card.
- 2) Team must be complete (4 bowlers), doubles (2), and singles (1 bowler) must be complete. *If your entry is doubling with another entry, BOTH entries must be sent in the same envelope, so they can be processed at the same time. IF YOU HAVE A BOWLER FROM ONE ENTRY AND A BOWLER FROM ANOTHER ENTRY, . . . list their names on one copy ONLY.* Do not list any event, unless you are paying for the event on that particular entry form. The FS-USBC-WBA does not secure bowlers for teams, nor doubles/singles. If team is not complete, or if a doubles partner is missing, the entry will be returned to sender.
- 3) ADDRESSES FOR ALL MEMBERS MUST APPEAR ON THE TEAM PORTION OF THE ENTRY FORM.
- 4) Forward the completed entry form to the FS-USBC-WBA. If you have entered doubles/singles only, one member should sign as contact person.
- 5) **AS TEAM CAPTAIN (Contact Person), YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR SUBMITTING VERIFIED AVERAGES AND VERIFIED MEMBERSHIPS (Nat'l, State WBA & Local-see Rule #1) FOR ALL MEMBERS OF YOUR TEAM. Average and Membership printouts from bowl.com are acceptable for verification. PLEASE SUBMIT VERIFICATION WITH ENTRY.** If you are waiting for an April 1, average, you should go ahead and submit your entry and be scheduled according to the scheduling policies. The April 1, average should be forwarded to the FS-USBC-WBA office as soon as possible, so the entry processing can be completed.
- 6) Consider dates of conflicts such as Holidays, Confirmations, Graduations, etc.; after the tournament schedule has been printed there will be no changing of dates.

FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE INFORMATION ON THE ENTRY FORM, AND THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS WILL MAKE IT NECESSARY TO RETURN YOUR ENTRY FORM AND FEES FOR CORRECTION WHICH COULD PREVENT YOUR ENTRY FORM FROM BEING SCHEDULED ON YOUR PREFERRED DATES AND TIMES. **ANY QUESTIONS, CALL (352)521-3660**

SCHEDULING POLICIES

Contact persons are encouraged to forward their completed entry forms and full fees to the FS-USBC-WBA – EARLY! An entry number will be assigned to each team. The entry will be considered and scheduled in the order in which they are received, per scheduling policies:

- 1) Teams traveling more than 100-mile radius will be assigned their dates as completed entry forms and full fees are received.
- 2) May 20-21, 2017 is DELEGATE WEEKEND, and is RESERVED FOR TEAMS WITH DELEGATES. If you have a delegate on your entry and prefer this weekend, YOUR ENTRY MUST BE IN THE FS-USBC-WBA OFFICE BY DECEMBER 15th. Teams with delegates and traveling more than 100-mile radius will be assigned their dates as completed entry forms and full fees are received.
 - a) On December 15th, teams with delegates and traveling 100-mile radius or less may be scheduled on delegate weekend, if space is available.
 - b) On December 15th, teams having ONLY an alternate may be scheduled on delegate weekend, if space is available.
- 3) On December 15th, ALL ENTRIES (except those from the local association) WILL BE SCHEDULED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS ON ALL WEEKENDS, INCLUDING DELEGATE WEEKEND.
- 4) **HOST ASSOCIATION (Southwest Florida USBC): All entries from the local association will be scheduled after closing date.**
- 5) If there are no openings on weekend requested, your team, doubles/singles will be scheduled the best available times on another weekend.
- 6) **TEAMS WISHING TO BOWL TOGETHER MUST SEND ENTRIES AND FEES IN THE SAME ENVELOPE.**
- 7) Early entries must be postmarked no later than February 1st, and late entries must be postmarked no later than March 1st.

2017 CALENDAR

Tournament Opens – May 6, 2017

Tournament Closes – June 11, 2017

EARLY: Entries received before Feb. 1, 2017 – Regular Fees
LATE: Entries after Feb. 1, 2017 – Additional \$20.00 (per entry) Late Fee
 Entry Closing – March 1, 2017

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
MAY						6
7	8	9	10	11	12	★ 13
★ 14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	*29	30	31			
JUNE						1
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11						

No bowling on May 13-14, 2017 (Mothers' Day Weekend)

STATE CONVENTION WEEKEND
 *May 20-21, 2017 TEAMS WITH DELEGATES will be scheduled first
 (Open to anyone after Dec. 15).

TENTATIVE SQUAD SCHEDULE
 TEAM, DOUBLES & SINGLES EVENTS:
 Saturday 9 a.m. 2 p.m.
 Sunday 9 a.m. 2 p.m.

To the FS-USBC-WBA Association Manager

We, by our captain and agent, hereby make application to participate in the FS-USBC-WBA Championship Tournament events listed and tender the entry fees required therefore. We warrant that all entrants listed on the entry are members of the USBC and the FS-USBC-WBA for the current season. The entrants whose names appear hereon or their authorized replacements hereby agree that the FS-USBC-WBA, its officers and agents shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fees if and when these entrants shall be prevented from bowling any event in the tournament through delay, unexpected yet necessary schedule change, or premature termination of the tournament, which may be brought about by war, national emergency or emergencies or causes beyond the control of the FS-USBC-WBA.

INCOMPLETE FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED