



Greater Portland USBC
18th Annual
City Open Championship

Host Center
Tigard Bowl
11660 SW Pacific Hwy
Tigard OR 97223

Online Registration
or
Mail Entries to:
Greater Portland USBC
PO Box 16880
Portland OR 97292

Register and Pay ON-LINE
at GPUSBC.COM

3 Weekends!
April 6-7,13-14, and 20-21

Pre-Registration Required!
NLT Mar 29, 2024
No Walk-ins will be allowed!

In order to help the center schedule personnel and lane usage we are requiring entries be submitted in advance of the tournament. We appreciate our host centers and understand that weekend revenue comes from open play. We will accept late entries by email, NLT then Thursday prior to the first squad of the weekend for an additional charge of \$5.00 per event, “cash only” accepted day of tournament.

Team Name: _____
Captain: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ City _____ Zip _____
E-Mail _____

Entry Fees:
\$35.00 Per Event, Per Person
Lineage: \$15.00
Prize Fund \$18.00
Expenses \$ 2.00
Optional All Events \$10.00

*Entry Fee must accompany entry
Checks made payable to GPUSBC*

TEAM EVENT Cost for team - All Divisions \$140.00

List bowlers in the order they will bowl. Enter amounts in appropriate boxes for participation	USBC ID Number	Average	Singles/ Doubles \$70.00	All Events \$10.00
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
Total				

Doubles : Cost for Doubles and Singles—All Divisions = \$70 per person
* Doubles & Singles are bowled at the same time. If you bowl one, you must bowl the other. You may enter singles more than once but may only cash once.

**Dates: April 6,7, -
13,14, -20,21**
Squad Times:
Team Event —9:00AM and
12:00PM Each day
Singles and Doubles-- 12:00PM
Each Day
6 Games on same pair

Doubles Pair #1	Avg	Doubles Pair #2	Avg
1.		1.	
2.		2.	
Total		Total	

Enter Requested Squad Dates and Times Below

	1st Choice Date/Time	2nd Choice Date/Time
Team Event		
Doubles/ Singles		

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Entry Number				
Team Squad		Date/Time		
D/S Squad		Date/Time		
Date Rec'd		Date Dep		
Pmt Type		Amount		
Check # and Notes:				

TOURNAMENT RULES

The Open Championship will be held at **Tigard Bowl** in tandem with the Women’s Championship. These are still separate tournaments and separate prize funds.

DATES: April 6-7, 13-14, 20-21 2024

ENTRIES ARE OPEN to current members of the GPUSBC

1. AVERAGES: It is each bowler’s responsibility to verify the accuracy of their average whether originally submitted by the bowler, their team captain, or others. Failure to use the proper average or make corrections prior to, or at the time of bowling will disqualify the scores if the submitted average is lower than the actual average. If the average that is submitted is higher than the actual average, prize winnings will be based on the higher average. USBC rule 319a(2) will be followed in this tournament. If your current average, of 21 games or more, is 10 pins or higher than your USBC High book average you must use your current average and bring a standing sheet as proof.

(a) Bowlers will use their 2022-2023 **USBC Standard Composite Average**

(b) If a bowler does not qualify under (a) above they will use their highest current average in a certified league of 60 games or more at the time of their first tournament participation. **Verification of average (printed standing sheet) to be used must be submitted at time of their first tournament participation or you will be entered at the 230 average**

(c) If none of the above applies an average of 230 will be used.

(d) **Reclassification:** USBC Average adjustment Rule 319C will apply.

2. Multiple Participation: Multiple participation is permitted. No more than two bowlers may be the same on multiple teams. Must change partners for multiple participation in doubles. Cash only once in singles. All Events may only be entered once.

3. Entries: Entries will be processed on a first come, first served basis. Every effort will be made to accommodate your first choice of dates and squad times.

4. Refunds: Refunds will not be issued after the entry has been processed unless a calculation error has been made. Refunds based on bowler substitutions or changes will not be honored. NOTE: Premature termination of the tournament brought about by war, national emergency or emergency causes relating thereto or from fires, strikes, lockouts, or labor difficulties shall cause the posted 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.

5. Prize Fund: Payouts for each event will be based on the following ratios of payouts to number of entries: Team- 1 in 5; Doubles- 1 in 6; Singles- 1 in 8; All-Events- 1 in 10.

6. All Events: To be eligible for the separate All Events prize fund, bowlers must be entered in team, doubles, and singles events and pay the optional \$10 All-Events entry fee prior to bowling their first event. In the case of multiple participation, the first team, doubles, and singles events bowled will be used in calculating the bowler’s All Events total score. The bowler’s All Events division will be based on their division in the singles event.

7. BOWLERS MUST CHECK IN 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO BOWLING. Team captains will only receive notification if there is a conflict with the chosen squads. It will be the team captain’s responsibility to notify their teammates of the scheduled times.

PARTICIPANT RESPONSIBILITY: It is the responsibility of all participants in this tournament to read and be aware of all of the rules. Failure to have read the rules will not be considered a valid excuse if a disqualification is necessary

8. THIS TOURNAMENT WILL OFFER THREE DIVISIONS AS FOLLOWS:

Classifications	Division 1	Division 2	Division 3
Team	800 and Over	700-796	699 and Below
Doubles	400 and Over	350-398	349 and Below
Singles / All events	200 and Over	175-199	174 and Below

9. Singles and Doubles will be bowled as a 6 game set, starting at 12:00 PM each day.

10. Handicap will be based off 90% of 230

11. Substitutes: Team Captains must furnish and file the name, membership number, and average of any substitute prior to the scheduled start time. No changes will be made to the order of bowlers in the Team Event or Doubles Event after the original entry has been accepted by the Tournament Director. Substitutes shall not be required to reimburse the original entrant the entry fee that was paid or be expected to give the original entrant any prize money and/or awards the substitute may receive unless they so desire.

12. Captain’s Responsibilities: Check in your team at least 30 minutes prior to your scheduled start time. Be prepared to show proof of current GPUSBC membership for all members of your team, which may be required. Present any substitutions to the Tournament Director as soon as they are available, verify all bowlers’ averages prior to check-in, make sure all team members are in proper attire before your squad begins, and disburse all prize checks to those members of your team that cashed within 30 days of the end of the tournament. All prize checks will be sent to the team captain for disbursement.

13. Dress Code: Participants must wear a shirt and slacks, casual slacks, jeans, or skirts. Traditional collared shirts and mock collared shirts and Tee shirts (no obscene pictures or words) are acceptable attire. During participation in any event, bare midriffs, halter tops or short shorts are not permitted. Tournament Management reserves the right to determine appropriate dress.

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