

Hawaii USBC 75th Annual Open Championship Tournament Entry Form

Mail or Drop Off Entries To:

USBC Certified **HAWAII USBC**

95-390 Kuahelani Ave, 3A

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HAWAII USBC

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Entry #: Date RCVD: RCVD by: Receipt #:

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Leeward Bowl PRIZE FUND 100% RETURN Location: Divisions Team Events **Doubles/Singles Events** Sat, May 24, 2025 Sat, May 24, 2025 Sun, May 25, 2025 □ HDCP □ Scratch Fri, May 23, 2025 (Optional) □ 8 pm □ 7 pm □ 130 pm □ 8 am □ 130 pm □ 4 pm □ 8 am Captain Name **Team Captain** Address Email Address City Zip Phone # Full Name USBC# **Team Lineup Bowler 1** Highest Composite Average Date of Birth Full Name USBC# **Team Lineup Bowler 2** Highest Composite Average Date of Birth **Team Lineup Bowler 3** Highest Composite Average Date of Birth Full Name USBC# **Team Lineup Bowler 4** Highest Composite Average Date of Birth **HDCP Division Lineup All Events** Total Team **Doubles** Singles \$35 \$35 \$35 \$15 Due Bowler 1 Name \$ Pair Bowler 2 Name \$ Bowler 1 Name Ś П П П П Bowler 2 Name \$ **Scratch Division Lineup (Optional)** Team **Doubles** Singles **All Events** Total \$15 \$15 \$15 \$10 Bowler 1 Name \$ Pair Bowler 2 Name \$ П П П П Bowler 1 Name \$ Pair Bowler 2 Name \$

Event Fee Breakdo HDCP (\$35) Scratch (\$15) \$15.00 \$13.00 \$18.00 \$0.00 Lineage Expense \$2.00 \$2.00

Max Team Entries: 78

Tournament Oil Pattern will be announced after entry close date. COMPLETED ENTRY FORM MUST BE RECEIVED WITH FULL PAYMENT.

ENTRY CLOSE: ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MIDNIGHT ON May 09, 2025.

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Hawaii USBC 75th Annual Open Championship Tournament Rules

Rule 1: This USBC tournament is open to all current (24/25) members of the HAWAII USBC. All entries will be numbered in the order they are received and will be limited to the first 78 team entries.

Rule 2: The team captain will check-in the entire team 60 minutes prior to the scheduled bowling time for the Team Event. All bowlers in the Doubles and Singles Events must check in 60 minutes prior to bowling time.

**NOTE: If current membership cannot be verified, a membership card must be purchased (\$25) at the tournament site.

Rule 3: DPEN ENTRY FEE: \$480 per team (\$120 per bowler). Fee breakdown per bowler. Team Event \$35, Doubles Event \$35, Singles Event \$35, All-Events: \$15.]

OPTIONAL SCRATCH ENTRY FEE: \$220 per team (\$55 per bowler). [Fee breakdown per bowler: Team Event: \$15, Doubles Event: \$15, Singles Event: \$15, All-Events: \$10,1

Rule 4: FORMAT: The tournament shall consist of a four-person Team Event, a Doubles Event, and a Singles Event. Three consecutive games shall be bowled in each event and total pins with handicap shall decide the winner. The Doubles Event will be bowled first followed by the Singles Event. The Doubles Event cannot be bowled without the Singles Event, and vice-versa. The total of nine games bowled with handicap shall determine the All-Events winner.

Optional Scratch Division will be open to all participants who have entered and paid the fees for the regular handicap tournament (Teams, Doubles, Singles, & 9 games All-Events) and wish to pay the fees for the Optional Scratch Division. For the Scratch Doubles Event both partners must enter. For the Scratch Team Event all bowlers on the handicap team roster must enter.

Multiple participation will be allowed for the <u>Team Event</u> only. At least two (2) bowlers must be changed from a team lineup to be considered a new entry. The first score bowled in any event will be used for an individual's All-Events total.

**NOTE: No multiple participation will be allowed for Doubles or Singles Events.

AVERAGES: Averages for the tournament shall be the highest certified average from the following sources:

A. Highest USBC certified Standard Composite average based on 21 or more games from...

1) 2024 - 2025 season 2) 2023 - 2024 season 3) 2022 - 2023 season

- B. For bowlers who only have sport or challenge averages the USBC adjustment scale will be used.
- C. Highest completed average on file or current average of 21 games or more as of May 09, 2025. (It is the bowler's responsibility to provide a current league standing sheet with is the entry form to verify average).

**NOTE: Only current averages from USBC certified leagues will be considered.

- D. Previous season's highest average from another association based on 21 games or more as verified on Bowl.com.
- If none of the above applies, entrant will use a scratch entering average of 200.
- Rule 8: The tournament committee reserves the right to re-rate any bowler entering this tournament. The adjustment scale is not considered a "re-rate". The purpose of the adjustment scale is to allow for a fair adjustment to what would be expected of the bowler on a standard condition. The adjustment scale does not supersede the Tournament Director's ability to further adjust upward any bowler's tournament entering average per USBC Rule 319c.
- Rule 9: Handicap will be based on 100% of 200, using USBC tournament calculation format.

No refunds will be made after entries have been received and dates assigned by the Tournament Director. Entry fees should be paid by cash, check, or money order. Make checks payable to "Hawaii USBC". FULL ENTRY FEES MUST ACCOMPANY THE ENTRY FORM. Any checks returned or not honored by a financial institution will be assessed a \$30.00 service handling fee. Full payment, including the assessed fee, must be made (cash or money order) within 10 days of notification.

Substitutes will be allowed if necessary. The Tournament Director should be advised of any substitutes at least one hour before the scheduled bowling time, if possible. Substitutions may be permitted after a game has started for the Team and Doubles Events. However, once a player is removed, they cannot return to bowl for the remainder of the event. No substitutions may be made after the series has started for the Singles Event. Scores bowled through the efforts of more than one individual shall not qualify for any USBC or tournament individual awards, nor shall the score be included in the All-Events total.

Entries will be scheduled according to requests, if possible, and in the order received. The Tournament Director, except for emergencies, will not change the schedule. The Tournament Director will assign lanes for each event. Each event will be bowled on one pair of lanes. The lineup will be the same as shown on the entry form.

Any player or team arriving after the game has started will be allowed to bowl and the score(s) will count beginning in the frame that's being bowled. NO SCORE WILL BE GIVEN FOR FRAMES MISSED, per USBC Rule 322a.

The Doubles Event will be bowled first, followed by the Singles Event. Both events will be bowled on the same pair of lanes. If a scheduled bowler has not arrived in time for the Doubles Event and a substitute is not available, the scheduled bowler's partner will be permitted to bowl their games in the Doubles Event to qualify for All-Events.

Any protest affecting eligibility or general playing rules must be confirmed in writing to the Tournament Director before the tournament prize distributions are made. Error in scoring must be reported to the Tournament Director within 24 hours.

In the case of a tie in any event, winners will be declared Co-Champions. The prize monies for the tie will be divided equally.

Rule 17: Prizes will be paid for handicap scores with at least one (1) prize for every seven (7) entries. Prize checks will be mailed to the team captains within 30 days after the tournament has closed.

The captains shall distribute the checks within 15 days after receipt.

- **NOTE: PRIZE CHECKS MUST BE CASHED WITHIN 90 DAYS. CHECKS WILL NOT BE REISSUED. *
- **NOTE: Rule 319d of the 2024/2025 Playing Rules will not apply for this tournament.

Food and beverages may be consumed in compliance with the respective bowling center's guidelines. Any bowler who appears to be or becomes, intoxicated, "under the influence", uses abusive language, obscene gestures, or who delays the normal process of the game shall be immediately removed from the tournament and the score will be zero (0) for any remaining frames of the game.

Bowlers are required to wear suitable attire. Example of prohibited attire include, Hats (medical reasons only), biker shorts, biker pants, leggings, tank tops, sleeveless shirts, shirts with inappropriate graphics/language, halter tops, bare midriffs, spaghetti strap tops, workout attire, short-shorts*, short-skirts*, short-culottes*, bib overalls, torn jeans, cutoffs, etc.

*The length of these items (shorts, skirts, culottes) must go beyond the fingertips when your arms are at rest along your sides.

The use of an artificial hearing device (headphones, etc.) to listen to music or a broadcast is prohibited during competition.

The tournament shall be conducted in accordance with the USBC rules governing local association tournaments and the USBC general playing rules in addition to the rules adopted by the association. The Board of Directors of the Hawaii USBC shall decide any questions not covered by these tournament rules.

The Board of Directors of the Hawaii USBC Association shall have the power to hear and act on disputes, complaints or protests relating to the tournament. The decision of the board is final except when an appeal is made to the USBC. The entrants, whose names appear hereon or their authorized replacements, hereby agree that the Hawaii USBC, 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 emergency of causes relating thereto or resulting therefrom, fires, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond the control of the Hawaii USBC.

 st Prize checks may be reissued at the discretion of the tournament management on a case-by-case basis.

Tournament Contact Information

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Co-Tournament Directors