

Washington State USBC Proudly Presents the 2017
80th Annual Open Championship Tournament

Hosted by Gr Seattle Association
Events are bowled separately



USBC Certified
Kenmore Lanes – (425)-486-5555
 7638 NE Bothell Way, Kenmore, Wa 98028
April 1,2,8,9,22,23,29,30 May 6,7 & 20,21



Saturday: 9:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m., and 5:30 pm Sunday: 9:30 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. Phone Reservations until 3/29

Team - \$120.00 \$30.00 per person Please List Bowlers in order of bowling	2015-16 Average Including Summer	USBC Card # Required	Divisions A-760 & Above or B-759 and Below
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22922 15th Ave SE
 Bothell, WA 98021

\$115.00 Plus Tax
 Ph. (425) 483-8100
 Must Mention
 WSUSBC Bowling

Singles \$30.00 per person	2015-16 Average Including Summer	USBC Card # Required	Divisions A-190 & Above B-189 & Below
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Divisions A-380 & Above B-379 & Below	DOUBLES -\$60.00 \$30.00 per person	2015-16 Average Including Summer	All Events HDCP \$5	All Events Scratch \$5	I CERTIFY SUBMITTED INFORMATION TO BE CORRECT
	1.				Captains Name:
	2.				Team Name:
	1.				Address:
	2.				
	Specify Date	Time	Events bowled separate But bowled on every squad		City:
Team Choices	1.				State:
	2.				Zip:
Singles Choices	1.				E-Mail:
	2.				Phone:
Doubles Choices	1.				
	2.				

Washington State USBC Association Open Tournament Rules

- Doubles will be bowled in two divisions A 380 & above & B 379 & below. Singles will be bowled in two divisions A 190 & above & B 189 & below. Team will be bowled in two divisions A 760 & above & B 759 & below.**
- All bowlers must be members of USBC bowling in leagues certified through local associations affiliated with the State of Washington. Nonmembers living in the jurisdiction of these associations may become eligible by paying appropriate affiliate membership fees.
- Entrants will use their highest USBC or CTF certified league yearbook or association average based on the 2015-2016 season with a minimum of 21 games, including summer league average. If the bowlers have no qualifying average from 2015-2016 than they may enter using their highest 2016-2017 average for 12 or more games as of March 31st 2017. **USBC Rules 319(d) and 319(e) apply in this tournament**, all others bowl scratch. **As per USBC Rule 319a (3), it shall be each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of his/her average, whether originally submitted by the bowler, the team captain, or others.** Average verification must be submitted prior to bowling if a bowler's confirmation has an asterisk next to his/her name. Failure to use the proper average or to make correction prior to, or before, completion of the first game of any event shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than actual average, or base prize winnings on submitted average if higher. **Entrants without a verified average will automatically be assigned an average of 230. USBC Rule 319a (2) does not apply,**
- Reservations:** Phone reservations will be accepted until March 29, 2017. Completed entry forms and fees must be received in full in the association manager's office within (7) seven days or the reservation will be cancelled- no notice given. The Tournament manager reserves the right to extend the entries if there is room on any squads and fees are paid in full. **All entry fees must accompany entry form.**
- All entrants having only a SPORT LEAGUE average must report this fact to the Tournament Manager. All Sport League-only averages will be adjusted using the USBC recommended scale (2015-2016 Playing Rules Manual), Rule 203. Bowlers with both a Sport League and a regular average **must use the higher average.**
- Handicap will be 90% of 230. If no average you will use a 230.
- Entry fee: \$30.00 per person/per event. Prize fund will be \$14.00; lineage and expense fee \$16.00. Prize fee will be returned 100% in each event or division of the event. Optional all events of \$5. Bowlers may bowl an unlimited number of times in the singles & doubles event but cash only once in singles; you must change your doubles partner (1 in 6 payout) 1 in 12 for all events. You will have to change (2) bowlers for team. A \$35.00 charge will be charged on any bad checks plus any bank fees. First time in singles, doubles & team counts for All Events per USBC Rule 315. For any prize checks that need to be re-printed due to being lost, ruined, or expired etc, a fee of \$35.00 will be charged for the stop payment fee at the bank no exceptions.
- Changes in lineups are not allowed: rule 324a does not apply. Substitutions may be made up to (1) one hour before time of bowling. The substitute must take lineup position of the absent bowler.
- No more than (1) one professional bowler will be allowed to bowl on a 4-person Team unless they are regular members of the team and have bowled two – thirds of the league games as of the date of their scheduled appearance in the State Tournament. Not more than one professional bowler will be permitted on a doubles team. A professional bowler is defined as a bowler who holds a membership card in the PBA or PWBA.
- Trophies or plaques will be awarded to all champions. In the event of a tie for the championship, co-champions will be declared with duplicate prizes and awards.
- Closing date for all entries is start of final squad (**space available**) 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, May 21, 2017.
- The first place winners of Team, Singles and Doubles events will get an entry paid into the 2018 Open Tournament.
- The individual with the highest scratch All Events score will represent the State of Washington in the USBC Masters Tournament in 2018. The winner will receive a paid entry into the 2018 Masters Tournament and \$200 expense money. The entry is nontransferable. If the first place winner cannot or chooses not to participate, then the second place scratch all events winner will be offered the spot.

*VISA, or MASTERCARD PAYMENTS ONLY

CHECKS PAYABLE TO: WSUSBC Association MAIL COMPLETED ENTRY FORM AND FEES TO:

Chuck Ickes,
2202 Summit Ave
Everett, WA 98201
Phone: (425) 903-4263
Fax: (425) 322-3042
E-Mail: wsusbc@comcast.net

Name on Card: _____

Credit Card#: _____

Billing Address: _____

Zip Code: _____ Exp Date: _____

*** Charge card fee: All Entries using a credit card will be \$32 per person per event, cash entries will be \$30 per person per event.**