



100th annual
**INDIANA OPEN
 CHAMPIONSHIP
 TOURNAMENT
 2010**
 Evansville, Indiana

Over **\$175,000.00**
 Paid in prizes last
 year.

TEAM EVENT
 Franklin Lanes
 1801 W. Franklin St.
 Evansville, IN 47712
 TEL: (812) 423-6204

MINOR EVENTS
 AMF Arc Lanes
 4901 Monroe Ave.
 Evansville, IN 47715
 TEL: (812) 476-3003

All events Actual Winner
 receives a paid entry to
 the 2011 IS USBC BA
 Master's Tournament

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*Indiana's 100th
 Anniversary*

TOURNAMENT DATES

FEBRUARY: 20-21,27-28 MARCH: 6-7,13-14.20-21,27-28 APRIL:10-11, 17-18, 24-25 MAY:1-2, 8-9, 15-16, 22-23
 NO BOWLING EASTER WEEKEND (April 3-4)

ALL ENTRANTS MUST ENTER THE REGULAR HANDICAP DIVISION OF THE TOURNAMENT.

HANDICAP DIVISION: HANDICAP ENTRY FEE - **\$25.00 PER BOWLER PER EVENT**

TEAM, SINGLES & DOUBLES = \$75.00 TOTAL + OPTIONALS

HANDICAP ALL-EVENTS (OPTIONAL) - \$3.00

To enter Singles & Doubles, BOTH partners must enter BOTH events

ACTUAL DIVISION (optional): THERE IS AN **OPTIONAL ACTUAL DIVISION** AVAILABLE THAT
 CAN BE ENTERED BY PAYMENT OF THE ADDITIONAL ENTRY FEES AS FOLLOWS:

OPTIONAL
 ACTUALS

ACTUAL ENTRY FEE - \$5.00 PER BOWLER PER EVENT

TEAM, SINGLES & DOUBLES = \$15.00 + OPTIONAL

ACTUAL ALL-EVENTS (OPTIONAL) - \$5.00

Any bowler may enter the Actual All Events

To enter Team - all five bowlers must enter

To enter Singles & Doubles - BOTH partners must enter BOTH events

- READ RULE NUMBER 7 ON REVERSE SIDE -

ENTRY CLOSING
 DATES

Advance Reserved Entries Must Be Postmarked by **December 1st, 2009**
 Final Closing Entry Date Is **January 1st, 2010**
 (Must Be Postmarked by **January 2nd, 2010**)

Send All Entries and Inquires to:

Lawrence J Owens - Tournament Manager
 P O Box 70
 Whitestown, IN 46075-0070
 (317) 769-6004
 E-mail - larry.owens@indianausbc.org

**CERTIFIED BY THE
 UNITED STATES BOWLING CONGRESS**

WEBSITE - www.indianausbc.org

IS USBC BA 2010 State Open Tournament Entry Form

If Preferred Choices Not Available, Date & Squad Will Be Assigned As Close To The Request As Possible.

Date & Squad Preferred:	First Choice _____	Second Choice _____	RESERVATION NUMBER: _____
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Team Captain: _____	Evening Phone: _____
Address: _____	Daytime Phone: _____
City, State, ZIP _____	Local Association: _____
	E-Mail: _____

Team Registration – Name: _____

Bowler Number	Name Natl ID Number / Soc Sec Nbr	Address: City, State, ZIP:	2008-09 Yearbook Average
1	/	_____	
2	/	_____	
3	/	_____	
4	/	_____	
5	/	_____	

Sixth Bowler: List Team Name: _____

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Singles/Doubles Squad Request:

To Enter Doubles, you must enter Singles	Date & Squad Preferred:	First Choice	Second Choice
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Please check All boxes that apply. All bowlers listed must be paid on this entry.

Doubles / Singles Registration		Optional All-Events Fee's		Minors Must Enter Both Double / Singles Fee's		Team Fees	
Doubles Pairs	Bowler Name (From this entry only)	Handicap	Actual	Handicap	Optional Actual	Handicap	Actual Optional
1		<input type="checkbox"/> \$3.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$5.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$100.00	\$20.00
2		<input type="checkbox"/> \$3.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$5.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$100.00	\$20.00
3		<input type="checkbox"/> \$3.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$5.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$100.00	\$20.00
Total fee's from top to bottom		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total amount due with entry				\$			

List PBA Bowlers: _____
 List Former Champions, **State** Officers, HOF, PP & IBA Life Members, USBC Board and Local Assn Managers

Entry No.

TEAM CAPTAIN INSTRUCTIONS:

1. READ RULES ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE FILLING OUT ENTRY. RULE #1.

2. Check with the Association Manager for reserved dates or call for advance reservation. PUT RESERVATION NUMBER ON ENTRY BLANK. All Singles/Doubles ONLY entries will be scheduled after all team entries have been scheduled.
3. If wanting to cross lanes with another team, entries MUST be sent in together.
4. Money orders, cashiers checks or association checks ONLY must accompany all entries. **NO PERSONAL CHECKS.**
5. All entries must be completely filled out. NO "JOHN DOE" ENTRIES ACCEPTED.
6. All bowlers must have USBC cards with them. Affiliate membership cards cannot be purchased (Rule 1).
7. All squad times are set at local host city times.
8. All members of the local host association must bowl prior to the last weekend of the tournament.
Exception: a local member may sub to replace an emergency withdrawal.

THERE ARE TWO SQUADS PER DAY:

	TEAM EVENT		MINOR EVENTS:	
	FIRST SQUAD	SECOND SQUAD	FIRST SQUAD	SECOND SQUAD
SATURDAY	11:00 AM – 2:00 PM	2:45 PM – 5:45 PM	9:30 AM – 1:00 PM	1:45 PM – 5:15 PM
SUNDAY	8:30 AM – 11:30 PM	12:15 PM – 3:15 PM	8:30 AM – 11:30 PM	12:45 PM – 4:15 PM
NOTE	LANES REDRESSED BETWEEN EACH		SQUAD	

**ALL BOWLERS MUST BE FINISHED BY THE COMPLETION OF THE ALLOCATED SQUAD TIMES.
ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRACTICE TIME START 15 MINUTES BEFORE THE SQUAD START TIME.**

**NO "DOUBLES ONLY" OR "SINGLES ONLY" ENTRIES ACCEPTED
NO HALF ENTRIES ACCEPTED - ALL BOWLERS MUST BE PAIRED
SINGLES/DOUBLES ONLY ENTRIES WILL BE SCHEDULED AFTER ALL TEAM ENTRIES HAVE BEEN SCHEDULED**

	REGULAR ENTRY FEES				
TEAM	DOUBLES	SINGLES			
Prize Fee.....	\$44.00	Prize Fee.....	\$17.60	Prize Fee.....	\$8.80
Bowling Fee....	50.00	Bowling Fee....	20.00	Bowling Fee...	10.00
Expense Fee... <u>31.00</u>	Expense Fee... <u>12.40</u>	Expense Fee... <u>6.20</u>			
Total.....	\$125.00	Total.....	\$50.00	Total.....	\$25.00

ALL OTHER FEES ARE OPTIONAL
To enter all 8 events (handicap & actual) - \$ 98.00 per person.

ENTRY BLANK PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Print or type reservation number, if obtained; otherwise, indicate first and second choice of date and squad preferred. (DO NOT use the same weekend for choices)
2. Fill in Captain information. All items required except E-mail Address.
3. Fill in each bowlers information. **Fill in by team order 1 through 5. List the 6th bowler only if they are NOT listed on another entry blank.** List the team name of the 6th bowler. All items are required (**Name, National ID Number, SSAN, Address & Yearbook Average**). If no yearbook average and bowler will be using current average when bowling, put a **C** in the blank. No Summer league averages. **The SSAN (Soc Sec #) is required by IRS for reporting of prize winnings.**
4. If this is a team only entry, mark the **Team Fees** boxes and skip to step 7.
5. To enter Singles and Doubles (**both must be entered**), enter the **pairs** using the Bowlers name. **Only bowler's names as listed on this entry can be entered here.** Entry cannot have more than 3 pairs.
6. **For each bowler listed, check the box of each event they are entering. The events are: Optional Handicap & Actual All-events; Singles/Doubles Handicap & Optional Singles/Doubles Actual; Team Handicap & Optional Team Actual.**
7. Add the fees for each column with check marks and enter the sub-totals. **All bowlers listed on this entry must be paid on this entry.**
8. Add the total amount of the sub-totals. **This is the amount owed with this entry.**
9. Send money order or cashiers check with this amount and the first page on the entry blank, just completed.

TOURNAMENT RULES

1. **ELIGIBILITY:** To be eligible to enter any or all events of the tournament, a participant must be a resident of the State of Indiana, with proof of residency, and have a current USBC membership. (PO Box numbers will not be accepted as a valid address.) A Non-Indiana resident who is eligible for another State association tournament shall be required to have a validated average of 21 games or more in an Indiana USBC certified league. **Affiliate memberships are not allowed. No participant is eligible to compete more than once in any event (No multiple entries).**

2. **MEMBERSHIP:** Team Captains, or each individual, must display USBC membership cards for all players at check-in for the Team Event. All individuals must display USBC membership cards at the Minor Events check-in.

3. All team captains must be on hand and check in their lineup to the tournament office at least 30 minutes prior to the starting time of the squad. Substitutions of bowler for bowler must be made at least one (1) hour prior to the starting time. **Any changes to the original entry in the order of bowling or switching doubles partners must be made at least 72 hours prior to the time of bowling. An all events entry cannot be transferred unless completed prior to either bowler having bowled in any event of the tournament.**

4. **All professional members (PBA) shall be limited to two (2) per team and one (1) per doubles.**

5. **TOURNAMENT:** This is a Handicap Tournament and the Team, Doubles, Singles and All Events will be conducted as follows: To the actual scores, a handicap of 90% shall be added to the difference between the bowler's averages and 1100 for Team, 440 for Doubles, 220 for Singles and 220 for All Events. Any bowler having an average 220 or greater shall bowl from scratch in the Singles and All Events, but their actual average shall be used in the computation of the Team and Doubles handicap.

6. **AVERAGES:** Averages for determining handicaps shall be as follows: The highest USBC sanctioned league average based on a minimum of 21 games for the immediate preceding season (Yearbook). **If current average of 21 games or more as of one week prior to participation in the tournament is 10 or more pins above the preceding Season (Yearbook) average, that current average must be used.** If participant has no average for the preceding season (Yearbook), current average of 21 games or more as of one week prior to participation in the tournament must be used. All others shall bowl from scratch (220). Summer averages are not used. **Verification of average must be presented at time of bowling. USBC RULE 319 C & E WILL APPLY TO THIS TOURNAMENT AND ALL PARTICIPANTS WILL BE SUBJECT TO RE-RATING. No tournament prize winnings need be reported.** **Additional rules pertaining to averages will be forwarded with confirmations.**

7. **OPTIONAL EVENTS:** There will be optional actual score events for Team, Doubles, Singles and All Events. All participants who have entered and paid the fees for the regular tournament may enter any or all of the optional events by payment of the optional fees. **To enter Team actual, all team members must enter. To enter Doubles actual, both members must enter and they must also enter the Singles actual event. There will be no Doubles only or Singles only entries allowed.** Any participant may enter All Events actual.

8. **PRIZE FEES:** Prize fees will be returned 100% in prizes in all events both Handicap and Actual. Participant may cash in any event, Handicap and optional Actual, upon payment of the entry fee for that event.

9. **PRIZE RATIO:** In the **Handicap** events, the ratio of prizes to the number of entries shall be a minimum in the Team event and Minor events one (1) for every six (6) and in the All events one (1) for every ten (10). The low prize for each event shall be at least \$25.00 for Team, \$10.00 for Doubles, \$5.00 for Singles and \$3.00 for All events. In the optional **Actual** events, the ratio of prizes to the number of entries shall be a minimum in all of the events of one (1) for every eight (8) The low prize for each event shall be at least \$25.00 for Team, \$10.00 for Doubles, \$5.00 for Singles and \$5.00 for All events. **The capital prize for the Team Handicap shall be at least equivalent to \$1.35 times the number of teams entered in each event. The capital prize for the Optional Team Actual shall be at least equal to twenty-five (25%) percent of the total prize fund available.** The minor events shall be paid on a comparable ratio. USBC Championship chevrons will be awarded to both the Handicap and optional Actual for each event.

10. **ENTRY FEES:** The entry fee for each bowler will be \$25.00 per event for Handicap Team, Doubles and Singles. The Handicap All events entry is optional with an entry fee of \$3.00. Entry fees are disbursed as described on the entry blank. Entry fees for the optional Actual events will be \$5.00 per event for Actual Team, Doubles, Singles and All events. **Optional fees are to be returned 100%.** Any bowler who places first in the Actual All events but has not entered and paid the optional fee, is eligible to only receive the Championship award, no cash prize.

11. **RE-RACKS:** No more than 3 will be permitted per participant per event, unless authorized by a designated tournament official.

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**MONEY ORDER OR CASHIERS CHECK ONLY MUST
ACCOMPANY ALL ENTRIES, NO PERSONAL CHECKS
OR CASH. ALL OTHERS WILL BE RETURNED.
MAKE PAYABLE TO INDIANA STATE USBC BA**