



2022-23 Open Championships

Tournament Host



Schwoegler's Entertainment Center
444 Grand Canyon Dr.
Madison, WI 53719
608.833.7272

Team, Doubles & Singles

Team or Minor Events every squad.

Weekends, January 8 - February 5, 2023

Two squads each day. 11:00 and 2:30

Dinner with the Champs

All division champions and scratch titlists will be invited to the annual Dinner with the Champions, held in the fall of the following season.

Tournament Sponsors

**Rob Bailey's
Pro Shop**



Budweiser Challenge

Enter a team with all players from the same league and qualify to win up to \$300.00 for your league prize fund. Sponsored by Budweiser.

See rules for details.



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Team Captains Drawing

All team captains are entered into a drawing for a new bowling ball from Rob Bailey's Pro Shop. One ball will be given away for every 30 team entries.

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Team Information

Captain: _____

Email: _____

Team Name: _____

Preferred Squads

Team Event: _____

Minor Events: _____

Total This Entry:

Team Event

1 Name: _____ \$30.00

USBC ID: _____

2 Name: _____ \$30.00

USBC ID: _____

3 Name: _____ \$30.00

USBC ID: _____

4 Name: _____ \$30.00

USBC ID: _____

5 Name: _____ \$30.00

USBC ID: _____

Enter Team Scratch Division instead of Handicap

Enter Budweiser League Challenge (see rules)

Minor Events

1 Name: _____ \$60.00

USBC ID: _____

Enter Singles Scratch Division instead of Handicap

2 Name: _____ \$60.00

USBC ID: _____

Enter Singles Scratch Division instead of Handicap

Enter Doubles Scratch Division instead of Handicap

1 Name: _____ \$60.00

USBC ID: _____

Enter Singles Scratch Division instead of Handicap

2 Name: _____ \$60.00

USBC ID: _____

Enter Singles Scratch Division instead of Handicap

Enter Doubles Scratch Division instead of Handicap

1 Name: _____ \$60.00

USBC ID: _____

Enter Singles Scratch Division instead of Handicap

2 Name: _____ \$60.00

USBC ID: _____

Enter Singles Scratch Division instead of Handicap

Enter Doubles Scratch Division instead of Handicap

All Events AE=Handicapped, SAE=Scratch, \$5.00 Each

Name: _____ AE SAE

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Entry Form Instructions

Team and Minors Events

- List preferred squad times by number
- Enter your lineups in bowling order.
- Each event is \$30.00

Optional All Events (Handicapped)

- Enter names for All Events.
- Fees are \$5.00 per bowler, per event.

Entry Fee Totals

- Total the fees from in the space provided.
- \$50.00 deposit required to hold a spot.

Squad Numbers

1	Sunday January 8	11:00 a.m.
2	Sunday January 8	2:30 p.m.
3	Saturday January 14	11:00 a.m.
4	Saturday January 14	2:30 p.m.
5	Sunday January 15	11:00 a.m.
6	Sunday January 15	2:30 p.m.
7	Saturday January 21	11:00 a.m.
8	Saturday January 21	2:30 p.m.
9	Sunday January 22	11:00 a.m.
10	Sunday January 22	2:30 p.m.
11	Saturday January 28	11:00 a.m.
12	Saturday January 28	2:30 p.m.
13	Sunday January 29	11:00 a.m.
14	Sunday January 29	2:30 p.m.
15	Saturday February 4	11:00 a.m.
16	Saturday February 4	2:30 p.m.
17	Sunday February 5	11:00 a.m.
18	Sunday February 5	2:30 p.m.

Defending Titlists

Singles	Mike Pounders	833
Doubles	Brittany Pollentier Chad Kuehmichel	1550
All Events	Mike Pounders	2313
Team	11th Frame.com Marc McDowell, Chris Gibbons, Jeff Richgels, Gail Myers, Derek Eoff	3484

Defending Division Champs

Singles D1	Rick Festge	767
D2	Alex Morris	684
Scratch	Mike Pounders	833
Doubles D1	Brittany Pollentier Chad Kuehmichel	1550
D2	Brian Wilk Anthony Bosnack	1181
Scratch	Rob Roedner Noah Brindley	1550
All Events D1	Eric Pederson	2199
D2	Alex Morris	1808
Scratch	Mike Pounders	2313
Team D1	Street Rags Jesse Parizo, Tim Thorson, Tim Morris, Alex Morris, Jacob Morris	3173
D2	Sunbelt Rentals Jake Ausel, Jon Tiedt, Ken Tiedt, Jeff Hendricks, Terry Bohn	2826
Scratch	11th Frame.com Marc McDowell, Chris Gibbons, Jeff Richgels, Gail Myers, Derek Eoff	3484

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GENERAL

- The Madison Area USBC Open Championship is USBC Certified.
- All USBC rules not specified in this document are in effect.
- Courtesy to other bowlers is expected and will be enforced. Loud, rude, or unsportsmanlike behavior will not be tolerated.
- Unofficial tournament standings, official tournament rules, and final prize lists will be available on the Madison Area USBC website.

ELIGIBILITY

- The tournament is open to all certified members of the USBC and the Madison Area USBC in the current season.
- Madison Area USBC members who are also eligible for another association tournament must have bowled a minimum of nine games in a Madison Area USBC certified league in the current season.
- Participation in the team event is unlimited, but no more than three players on any five person team may cash together more than once.
- Participation in minor events is limited to one time per bowler.
- Entry into the minor events requires participation in both doubles and singles.
- No more than two Professional Bowlers Association members of any classification may participate on any team or doubles team.

ENTRY

- Entries for each squad close the Wednesday prior to the scheduled squad date.
- The tournament may be extended if necessary.
- A \$50.00 non-refundable deposit is required with each entry. Deposits refunded only if none of the requested squads are available.
- Team, Doubles, and Singles: \$30.00 per bowler, per event. Prizes \$15.00 / Lineage \$11.00 / Expense \$4.00
- All Events and Scratch All Events: \$5.00 per bowler. Prizes \$4.50 / Expense \$5.50

AVERAGES

- USBC Rule 319a is modified for this tournament.
- The tournament director will assign bowler averages.
- Bowlers will use their 2021-22 composite average of all USBC standard leagues, including leagues with less than 21 games bowled or, if none, Current season single league average of 21 games.
- The tournament director may assign an average above the tournament minimum of zero.
- USBC Rule 319d is waived.

TEAM DIVISIONS

- Declared Scratch Division
- Division 1 – Team averages 1000 and above
- Division 2 – Team averages 999 and below

DOUBLES DIVISIONS

- Declared Scratch Division
- Division 1 – Team averages 400 and above
- Division 2 – Team averages 399 and below

SINGLES and ALL EVENTS DIVISIONS

- Declared Scratch Division
- Division 1 – Individual averages 200 and above
- Division 2 – Individual averages 199 and below

HANDICAP

- Division 1 Team handicap is 100% to 1150
- Division 2 Team handicap is 100% to 1000
- Division 1 Doubles handicap is 100% to 460
- Division 2 Doubles handicap is 100% to 400
- Division 1 Singles and All Events handicap is 100% to 230
- Division 2 Singles and All Events handicap is 100% to 200

PRIZES

- Prize fees will be returned 100% in prizes with one prize for at least every five entries into each event, including optional events.

TITLES AND CHAMPIONSHIPS

- The highest scratch scores bowled in singles, doubles, team, and all-events earn Madison Area USBC Tournament Titles.
- The highest scores with handicap bowled in singles, doubles, team, and all-events earn Madison Area USBC Tournament Championships.

OPTIONAL EVENTS

- The first score bowled in team event will count toward the All Events total.
- Replacements for All Events must be made before either the original or replacement entrant has bowled in any event in the tournament.
- Any All Events score is given championship and/or titlist consideration, however only a paid optional All Events entry will qualify a bowler for cash prizes.
- No refunds given for any All Events entries.

TOURNAMENT PLAY

- All bowlers must report to the tournament office prior to their scheduled bowling time to check in.
- Lanes will be assigned by a tournament staff member.
- Official scorers will be provided by the Madison Area USBC.
- All games of each event will be bowled on the same pair of lanes.
- The order in which the bowlers are listed on the entry form will be the official bowling order. No changing of bowlers between team and doubles sets or rearranging of the bowling order is allowed.
- Bowler(s) arriving late will be allowed to bowl. Late bowlers will receive zero in any frames missed. Scoring will start in the next frame that the late bowler(s) is up to bowl.
- Substitutes will be allowed. All substitutions must be reported to the tournament office prior to the start of practice.
- Substitutes during an event will receive handicap based on the original or the substitutes average, whichever is higher.
- In the event of a machine breakdown, the tournament director will move bowlers to another pair of lanes if available. If no pair is available, the bowlers must wait until the next squad time that lanes are available. If arrangements cannot be made to finish the series, refunds will be given only for that event.
- Premature termination of the tournament brought on by war, national emergency, or other reasons beyond the control of the Madison Area USBC will cause the foregoing prize list to be prorated based on the number of entrants in each event at the time of termination.

AUTHORITY

- Decisions of the tournament committee are final.
- Appeals may be made, in writing, to the rules department of the United States Bowling Congress with a copy to the local association.
- Appeals must be submitted prior to the distribution of prizes.