

# 2024-2025 CITY OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP



**Tournament Dates: April 5-6, 12-13, 2025**  
**Entries Close: March 22, 2025 – NO WALK-INS!**  
 Check in will begin one hour prior to the start of the squad.



<b>Team Name:</b>					<b>** TEAM **</b> Peak Bowl 2861 N Prospect St. Colorado Springs, CO 80907 719-636-5193	
<b>** NOTE: 10 PIN RULE 319 APPLIES **</b> <b>TEAM EVENT IS AT PEAK BOWL</b>						
TEAM Position	USBC NUMBER	PRINT FULL NAME	2023-24 AVERAGE	ALL EVENTS (Optional)		
				Handicap	Scratch	
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Team Captain Information		
Name:	Email:	
Address:	Phone:	
City:	State:	Zip:



<b>Doubles / Singles at KING PIN LANES</b>							<b>** DOUBLES / SINGLES **</b> King Pin 3410 N Academy Blvd. Colorado Springs, CO 80917 719-574-0820	
<b>** BOWLERS MUST BOWL BOTH DOUBLES &amp; SINGLES</b> <b>DOUBLES/SINGLES EVENT IS AT KING PIN</b>								
<b>** IF TEAM POSITION IS SPECIFIED, DO NOT COMPLETE NAME, USBC # OR AVERAGE COLUMNS</b>								
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ENTRY CALCULATION			
HANDICAP		SCRATCH (OPTIONAL)	
___ TEAM @	\$175	___ TEAM @	\$50
___ DOUBLES @	\$70	___ DOUBLES @	\$20
___ SINGLES @	\$35	___ SINGLES @	\$10
___ ALL EVENTS (OPT) @	\$5	___ ALL EVENTS @	\$5
<b>TOTAL FEES: _____</b>			

**Make checks payable to: PPUSBC**  
 Remit payment and entry form to:  
 Pikes Peak USBC  
 Attn: City Open  
 PO Box 76226  
 Colorado Springs, CO 80970-6226

## CITY OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

- 1. Eligibility:** Tournament is open to all PPUSBC members who are 18 or older bowling as an Adult in the 2024-25 season. Participants may be required to show a current USBC membership card at check-in. Non-USBC and/or non-PPUSBC bowlers will be required to pay the required membership fees prior to bowling. Any USBC member who identifies themselves as a professional may participate. Professional bowlers will be limited to only one on any five-person team or doubles team.
- 2. Team Captain:** The team captain is responsible for the submission of each entry and all fees. This person will serve as the representative in all matters pertaining to individual behavior and complaints, either with the tournament or USBC rules.
- 3. Format:** Bowlers may enter multiple team events. No more than two bowlers may participate together on multiple teams. Multiple entries are allowed in doubles with a different partner. **Bowlers entering doubles or singles must enter both events. The first score in each event will count towards All-events. Individual bowlers may place only once in the top ten in the Singles event.**
- 4. Entry Fees:** The entry fee per bowler, per event, is broken down as follows: prize fund \$16.50 and \$18.50 of expenses for a total of \$35.00. Entering All-events is optional. Both scratch and handicap All-events will be offered. **A bowler entering scratch All-Events must also enter handicap All-events. All-events** fees are \$5.00 for scratch and \$5.00 for handicap. A bowler may also enter the scratch division for an additional \$10 per event, per person. Bowlers entering scratch events must also enter the handicap event.
- 5. No Refunds:** No team or individual shall be entitled to a refund once the tournament begins. Prior to the start of the tournament, a refund may be given if the team or individual notifies the tournament manager or tournament director that they will be unable to bowl.
- 6. Prize Ratio:** Shall be on a 1 in 5 basis. Awards shall be given to the winners of each event- Team, Doubles, Singles, and All-events for both scratch and handicap. The same team or individual **may** win both handicap and scratch awards.
- 7. Averages:** Highest 2023-2024 average of 21 games or more will be used. If a bowler does not have a 2023-2024 average, they may use their highest current certified league average of 21 games or more as of March 22, 2025. If a bowler does not have any of the qualifying averages, they will be assigned a scratch average of 230. Bowlers who are required to use a current league average must show verification signed by their league secretary or produce a league standing sheet showing their current average as of March 22, 2025.
- 8. Average Verification:** It is the bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of their average, whether submitted by the bowler, team captain, or someone else. USBC rule 319 is in effect, failure to comply may result in disqualification and forfeiture of entry fees.
- 9. Handicap:** Shall be based on 90% of 230.
- 10. Dress Code:** No hats, cutoffs, tank tops, muscle shirts, clothing with offensive language and/or pictures, or bare midriffs will be allowed. Shorts/skorts/skirts may be worn only if the said apparel is no shorter than the fingertips of the bowlers, when their arms are extended straight down at their sides. No headphones or earbuds will be allowed. The tournament director shall have final say in compliance with the dress code. Failure to adhere to this rule will result in disqualification and forfeiture of entry fees and prizes.
- 11. Check-In Times:** Check in will begin one hour prior to the squad time.
- 12. Lane Assignments:** Lane assignments are to be made by the tournament director. If it becomes necessary to reschedule bowlers in any event, it will be done at the discretion of the tournament director. In case of a machine failure, and it becomes impossible to complete an event within the allotted time, the event will be rescheduled, and bowling will resume at the point where it was discontinued.
- 13. Tardy Bowlers:** Tardy bowlers will start in the frame being bowled when they are ready for tournament play. They will receive *a score of zero* for any frames missed. Bowlers refusing to start at the scheduled time shall forfeit their entry fee and will not be allowed to compete.
- 14. Time Limit:** A time-limit will be imposed for all events of this tournament, not to exceed three hours for the team and three hours for combined doubles and singles. Any pairs falling behind will be provided warnings by tournament officials. If an event cannot be completed within the allotted timeframe (excluding lane breakdowns, scoring problems, etc.), any frames left to bowl may be marked as zero.
- 15. Substitutes:** All substitutions must be made through the tournament office.
- 16. Lane Breakdown:** In the event of a lane breakdown, play will proceed as follows: **\*\*During competition, if bowlers sit for more than 10 minutes or are required to move pairs, each bowler will be allowed one ball per lane to warm up. \*\*If the breakdown occurs during practice, the remaining practice time will be allowed to be completed following the repair.**
- 17. Bowling Balls:** Once practice is over and competition begins, surface alteration will not be allowed. During competition, a bowler may clean their ball using a **shammy or dry towel only**.
- 18. Score Sheets:** After a score sheet has been signed by a contestant or team captain, it cannot be changed except in the case of an obvious error in scoring or calculation. Bowlers are cautioned to sign the score sheet only after ensuring its accuracy. Computer printouts from the participating center will be the official score sheet in all cases. These will be kept on file for ten days.
- 19. Protests:** Any protests pertaining to interpretation or application of tournament rules must be submitted in writing to the tournament director, with a copy to USBC and filed in accordance with USBC Rule 329.

**USBC rules and regulations will apply in all instances not specifically covered in the above rules as stated. The PPUSBC tournament director will make rulings on all questions, disputes, and rules not covered by these tournament rules.**

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