

Colorado Springs Masters

For faster check-in, please submit entry and fees before September 14, 2024.

Entry Fee: \$150

(If paid by September 14th, otherwise \$160 after September 14th)



Qualifying Rounds: Saturday Sept 21, 2024

1st Squad: Check-in at least by 8:30 AM, Start at 9:00 AM

2nd Squad: Check-in at least by 1:00 PM, Start at 1:30 PM

Finals: Sunday Sept 22, 2024

Roll Call at 8:30 AM, Start at 9:00 AM



Qualifying - Peak Bowl, [2861 N Prospect St, Colorado Springs, CO 80907](#)

Qualifying - PinHeadz, [1867 N Circle Dr, Colorado Springs, CO 80909](#)

Finals - King Pin, [3410 N Academy Blvd, Colorado Springs, CO 80917](#)

Tournament Format

- 12 games scratch qualifying - 6 games at each center
- Total pins scratch determines the cut
- Cut to the top 16 including defending champion for match play bracket
- Match Play 3 Game Total Pin Fall
- Double Elimination
- Sport Compliant Oil Pattern
- 1:3 Ratio Payout
- Limited to 80 entries
- See rules for dress code

Name: _____

USBC Number: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Starting House: Peak Bowl PinHeadz



Payment Information:

PayPal: pikespeakbowling@gmail.com - Before checking out, add your name under "comments".

Or make checks payable to: **PPUSBC** (\$25 service fee on all returned checks.)

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COLORADO SPRINGS MASTERS RULES

PRIOR TO THE TOURNAMENT

1. **Eligibility:** This is an individual tournament open to all Adult USBC members. Entries are limited to **80** entrants.
2. **Participation:** Competition consists of 12 games total, with 6 games at each center. There will be 3 rounds to this tournament. Qualifying round 1, qualifying round 2, and the finals.
3. **Entry Fees:** Entry fee is \$150 if paid by September 14, 2024, and \$160 after September 14, 2024, including walk-ins. Walk-ins will be allowed *only* if space is available. Based on 60 entries, the break down will be as follows: prize fund \$79.50, lineage \$67.50 and expenses \$3.00.
4. **No Refunds:** If a bowler does not bowl, is a no-show, or is unable to complete the qualifying rounds, no refunds will be issued. Replacement bowlers will be taken from the standby list.
5. **Prize Ratio:** 1 in 3. All match play finalists will cash.

AT THE TOURNAMENT

6. **Dress Code:** Collared shirts or mock bowling shirts for all. Men - dress slacks. Ladies - skirts, skorts, or slacks. Skorts or 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 hats, no shorts, no tank tops, and no jeans. A shirt with your name on the back is recommended. *No headphones or earbuds will be allowed. Failure to adhere to this rule will result in disqualification and forfeiture of entry fees and prizes.*
7. **Check-In Times:** Squad 1: check in by at least 8:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m. start. Squad 2: check in at least by 1:00 p.m., 1:30 p.m. start.
8. **Lane Assignments:** Lane assignments are assigned during check-in. Contestants may request a starting center on the entry form and every attempt will be made to honor each request. Every effort will be made to keep the number of bowlers at each center as equal as possible.
9. **Tardy Bowlers:** The tardy bowler may compete but will receive ZERO scores for all frames bowled and may continue to bowl on their assigned lanes.
10. **Substitutes:** Any substitute will be taken from the stand-by list **ONLY**.
11. **Score Sheets:** After a score sheet has been signed by a contestant, 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.
12. **Courtesy:** One-lane courtesy is in effect for the entire tournament.

FINALS

13. **Participation:** Total pins in the qualifying rounds determine the final field that will begin match play on Sunday, 9/22/24. Sixteen bowlers qualify for the match play round. Last year's defending champion automatically gets a spot in this year's double-elimination match play and will be seeded in the 16th position, unless said defending champion qualifies for a higher position. Upon completion of the qualifying round, if a tie exists for the final position needed to complete the match play field, one complete game will be bowled by all bowlers who are tied, at the start of Sunday at the finals center. If a tie still exists after said game, a **ONE BALL ROLL-OFF** will be bowled until the tie is broken. Said roll-off will be bowled on same lane each participant finished the additional roll-off game. The bowler on odd lane will bowl first, but instead of completing the frame, they will alternate shots until the match is decided. Failure of any contestant to remain available in case of a tie will constitute a forfeiture.
14. **Roll Call Times:** 8:30 a.m. If any player is not there by 8:30 a.m., an alternate will be called. Pairings-#1-#16, #2-#15 etc. One player per lane. After opening matches, pairings and lane assignments will be in accordance with the normal bracket system. Bowlers will receive 10 minutes of practice prior to the first match of finals.
15. **Tardy Bowlers:** If a bowler does not appear for the first round of match play, with notification to the tournament director or tournament manager, may begin competition in the second round. The bowler will forfeit the first-round match. If no notification is received prior to the start of match play, an alternate bowler may be given the place of said bowler.
16. **Double Elimination:** The double-elimination format of competition requires a participant to lose twice before being eliminated. All players start in the winner's bracket and after losing one match enter the contender's bracket. The undefeated survivor of winner's bracket will be matched against the winner of contender's bracket, whose record shows only one defeat in the championship match. If the winner's bracket bowler wins the first match, that bowler will be the champion. A victory of bowler from the contender's bracket will result in a second match to determine the winner.
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**.

If the winner of the PPUSBC Masters cannot attend the USBC Masters event, the entry will be offered to the 2nd place finisher.

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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