

27<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Washington State USBC Youth  
**CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT**

Hosted by Cowlitz USBC Association  
Tournament Opens April 4, 2009  
Opening Ceremony at Triangle Bowl – 12:30  
April 4 & 5, 18 & 19, 25 & 26, May 2 & 3, 9 & 10, 2009

**TEAM EVENT**

Triangle Bowl  
700 Triangle Center  
Longview, WA 98632  
360-425-4060



**SINGLES & DOUBLES**

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**USBC Certified**

**Classified Averages**

**TEAMS – DOUBLES – SINGLES (\$5,200 in scholarships to winners)**

All Events scratch & handicap divisions (\$4,000 in Scholarships to be awarded based on singles division)

Award & Scholarship Fees Will Be Returned 100%

**Entries close Midnight, March 15, 2009**

All entries postmarked the first post office business day following the closing date will be accepted

Enter online or mail entries to:  
WSUSBC Youth State Tournament  
550 Holcomb Road, Kelso, Wa. 98626  
Tournament Manager  
Joy Walker (360) 423-5062  
Use Highest Average per Rule 9  
E-mail: [youthstate@wmconnect.com](mailto:youthstate@wmconnect.com)

Entry Fee \$16.00 per event/per person  
Bowling..... \$ 7.50  
Expenses ..... \$ 5.50  
Awards ..... \$ 3.00  
Total Fee..... \$16.00  
Credit Card Entries will be \$17 per  
person per event

NO Incomplete Entry will be accepted.

Entry must be accompanied by a  
certified check or money order, made  
payable to WSUSBC or pay online at  
[www.wsusbc.net](http://www.wsusbc.net).

**Team Event Squad Times:**

Saturday Times: 9:00 am, 1pm, & 4pm  
Sunday Times: 9:00 am & 1:00pm  
12 Lanes

**Singles & Doubles Event Squad Times:**

Saturday Times: 9:00 am & 1:00 pm  
Sunday Times: 9:00 am & 1:00 pm  
20 Lanes

**Qualifying Event:** Any USBC Junior Gold member may compete in the qualifying event. Scratch All Event scores will determine the winners in the Boys and Girls Division. Separate entry form will be used for this event.



**WSUSBC 2009 Youth Tournament**

**Red Lion**

510 Kelso Dr  
Kelso, WA - 360-636-4400



\$74.95 Standard - \$76.95 Deluxe

## ENTRY FORM

PLEASE GIVE 3 DATES THAT YOU CAN BOWL

**Date and Squad Preferred for Team Event**

1<sup>st</sup> Choice \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Choice \_\_\_\_\_

3<sup>rd</sup> Choice \_\_\_\_\_

**Date and Squad Preferred for Singles & Doubles**

1<sup>st</sup> Choice \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Choice \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Choice \_\_\_\_\_

If we cannot schedule you as requested, may we rearrange your events to fit the same weekend? \_\_\_\_\_ Or give you the best times on the weekends open? \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Will you be arriving on Friday? \_\_\_\_\_

**TEAM EVENT – Triangle Bowl, 700 Triangle Center, Longview, Wa 98632  
360-425-4060**

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_ House: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Do Not Write Here – Tournament Use Only	
Entry#	
Date Received:	
Total Fee Due \$	Amount Received \$
Paid by Check #	Balance Owing \$

**Squad Times: Saturday: 10:00 am, 1:00 pm, 4:00 pm      Sunday: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm**

Name (As it appears on USBC card)	Address (Include City, Zip)	G/B	USBC #	Avg
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				

**Official's use Only:**      **Class:**      **Handicap:**

Team Captain or Coach will be notified of any changes and is responsible for notifying the other team members.

Team Captain's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

*Required:* E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**SINGLES & DOUBLES - Triangle Bowl, 700 Triangle Center, Lv Wa 98632**

**Squad Times: Saturday: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm      Sunday: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm**

Name	Address	Circle if Sgls or Dbls only		Circle Scr or Hd		G/ B	USBC#	Avg
		S	D	Scr	Hd			
1.		S	D	Scr	Hd			
2.		S	D	Scr	Hd			
1.		S	D	Scr	Hd			
2.		S	D	Scr	Hd			

### Coach's Certification

**I hereby certify that the above averages are correct as of December 31, 2008 or in accordance to Rule 9. We agree to abide by the rules as set forth herein, in the USBC Rule Book, and the USBC Youth Division Code. I also certify that all bowlers listed herein are members of USBC and are in good standing. I have attached the highest average of each bowler (STANDING SHEET).**

Coach's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Coach: \_\_\_\_\_

*Required:* E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Tournament Rules

1. USBC Youth Division rules and regulations will govern the tournament. All entrants must be eligible under USBC Rule 400.
2. Entry Fee will be \$16.00 per person/per event.
3. Classifications are as Follows: (According to Average)

N/A	TEAMS	DOUBLES	SINGLES
SCR	N/A	Scratch 400+	Scratch 200+
AA	680 & over	340 & over	170 & 199
A	620 – 679	310 – 339	155 – 169
B	560 – 619	280 – 309	140 – 154
C	500 – 559	250 – 279	125 – 139
D	440 – 499	220 – 249	110 -124
E	380 – 439	190 – 219	95 – 109
F	379 & under	189 & under	94 & under

4. **TEAMS:** All teams shall be composed of four (4) members; mixed entries will be allowed and classified according to average. All entries must list and pay for four members. No partial teams accepted. No team member may switch teams unless team he/she comes from is dissolved. Multiple participation (2-time limit) for team event only. Teams may have no more than two (2) of the original members.
5. **DOUBLES AND SINGLES:** Bowlers may bowl singles or doubles or both. Bowler may enter only once in each event. All double entries must list and pay for two (2) members. Bowlers may enter optional scratch division by circling "S" in singles/doubles fields on entry form. If bowling in both events, singles will be bowled first and doubles will follow on the same squad, unless prior arrangements have been made.
6. **HANDICAP:** Handicap will be based on 90% of 200.
7. **PAYMENT:** No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by a business, association, center or league check, certified check or money order for the full amount due on the entry and made payable to the Washington State USBC or processed online.  
**NO PERSONAL CHECKS ACCEPTED.** Advance Reservations will be accepted until January 31, 2009. No Collect calls will be accepted.
8. **ENTRY DATES:** Opening date for entries will be January 1, 2009. All entries must be postmarked no later than the first business day after March 15, 2009, and include full payment or they will not be accepted. Returned checks shall be subject to a \$25.00 service charge. Funds must be secured on any returned check prior to the start of the tournament; otherwise, bowler(s) paying by such check will not be allowed to participate.
9. **ENTERING AVERAGE:** The average to be used for this tournament will be in the order of:
  - a. Highest average as of 12/31/08 for 21 games or more. If none,
  - b. Highest Average with 9 games or more as of Mar 9, 2009. If none,
  - c. Highest current average with minimum of 9 games at time of competition. If none,
  - d. Highest Average from previous winter season for 21 games or more. If none,
  - e. Bowler will bowl scratch -200
 All bowlers with a sport league average will use USBC chart for adjusted average.
10. **CHECK-IN:** The bowler must check in one hour prior to the scheduled bowling time. Participants must present their USBC cards and comply with dress code at time of check-in or be certified by their coach.
11. **COMPETITION:** Three games must be bowled per event.
12. **LINE-UP:** Tournament entrants bowl in the order in which their names appear on the entry form. In case of substitution, the substitute must take the place vacated by the absent member. Once a substitute has begun practice, he/she shall be allowed to finish the series.
13. **SUBSTITUTES:** Washington State USBC will not be responsible for filling vacant positions. WSUSBC will work with the host association to maintain a substitute list but will not guarantee substitutes.
14. **COACHING:** Coaching of participants in the settee area during tournament play will not be allowed.
15. **AWARDS:** One out of every ten (10) entries or major fraction thereof, in each division will receive awards. In case of a tie, duplicate awards shall be given.
16. All Events awards will be presented to the bowler in each division (division will be based on singles entry) with the highest 9-game total. First series in Team event plus Singles & Doubles will count toward All Events total.
17. \$250 scholarships will be awarded to the Boy and Girl All Events Champion in each division. \$100 scholarships will be awarded to 1<sup>st</sup> place in Team, Doubles and Singles events. All scholarship monies will be deposited with, managed by and in accordance with the rules of the S.M.A.R.T. program. Brackets – Scholarship Brackets Smart acct#10152
18. **CONDUCT GUIDELINES:** These rules apply to participants:
  - a. No use of tobacco products or consumption of alcoholic beverages.
  - b. No use of profane language or gestures.
  - c. Bowlers shall conduct themselves in a courteous manner, not interfering with other bowlers or displaying disruptive behaviors towards bowling equipment.
  - d. No sharing of bowling equipment on the same squad.
  - e. Cell phones must be turned off or set to silent/vibrate mode.
  - f. **NO electronic devices on the approach**
  - g. **Equipment must not promote alcohol, tobacco, or gambling. (Rule 319b)**
 Tournament official will give one verbal warning to violator(s). Further violations could result in immediate disqualification and will be at the discretion of the tournament official. Coaches will be notified of all misconduct complaints and violations by a tournament official.
19. **CLOTHING GUIDELINES:** Participants will NOT be allowed to bowl unless properly attired. No hats, equipment or clothing advertising alcohol/tobacco products, no offensive or suggestive shirts and no shorts allowed except walking shorts/skorts, they should be no shorter than 2" above the knee. NO sweat pants or spandex. Shirts must cover abdomens completely when bowler is fully extended at the foul line. Tank tops and tops with "spaghetti" type straps will NOT be allowed. No baggy pants or shorts hanging below the waist will be worn during tournament play. Tournament Official will have the final say on any questionable attire. Participants will be given the opportunity to change before tournament play begins, if necessary and time permits.
20. **PROTESTS:** Appeal or protest regarding tournament scores shall be made in writing to Tournament management within 72 hours. Telescores/printouts used in play shall be saved for 72 hours following squad times. Tournament Official decides disputes occurring on the lanes.
21. **SPECTATOR CONDUCT:** No Flash photography or lighted video cameras will be allowed once tournament play has begun. **Alcohol consumption behind the participants is not allowed.**
22. **SCHEDULING** will be under the direction of the Tournament management. Three dates of preference are requested; however requests DO NOT reserve the date. If space is not available on a requested date, the next open time is given, unless the box is checked to return the fees. Teams from the host association will be scheduled to fill squads.
23. **REFUND DEADLINE:** When an alternate time other than that requested has been assigned and the entrant has been notified of the new time, the entrant has two weeks from postmark date on the confirmation form to refuse the alternate time. Entry fees shall not be refunded after that time. (USBC Rule 314)
24. **OPTIONAL USBC JUNIOR GOLD QUALIFYING EVENT:** Any Junior Gold member may compete in the qualifying event. A Separate Entry form will be used for this event with an additional fee.
25. **All Credit Card entries will be \$17 per person per event, cash entries will be \$16 per person per event.**