

# 34th Maryland Ten Pin Council Scholarship State Finals Tournament

Open to all High School Students graduating in 2016 & 2017

**USBC CERTIFIED** 

Bowling Fees: \$25.00

PRIZE FUND (see rule 9) (boys & girls)

1<sup>st</sup> place \$750.00 2<sup>nd</sup> Place \$500.00 Scratch and Handicap White Oak Lanes 1649 Oldtown Road Cumberland, MD 21502 (301) 724-6262

May 14, 2016

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Sponsored by the MARYLAND TENPIN COUNCIL

Comprised of:
Maryland Bowling Proprietors
Association
and
Maryland State USBC Association

Squad Time 6:00 PM

Name	Pho	one # _			
Address					
City		State _		Zip _	
Email	Birth	ndate _			
Bowling Center	Circle	One _	GIRL	воу	
Verified By	USBC II	D# _			

Make Check Payable to: MDUSBC
Mail Entry and Check to:
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## MD TEN PIN COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP TOURNAMENT RULES

### **ELIGIBILITY**

 The Maryland Ten Pin Council Scholarship Tournament is open to all Youth High School students who will be graduating at the end of the 2015 and 2016 school year and are a certified members of one of the following Local Maryland USBC Associations:

Annapolis Bowl Youth Program
Antietam USBC Youth
Cecil Harford USBC Youth
Central Maryland USBC Youth
Greenway Odenton Youth Program
Lower Shore USBC Association
Severna Park Lanes Youth Program
Western Maryland USBC Association

- All entrants MUST be a current member of a 2015-2016 Maryland USBC Youth league to be permitted to enter this competition.
- All entrants must have at least 21 games in a certified 2014 - 2015 MDUSBC youth fall, winter or summer league.
- 4. Entrants may enter only once.
- 5. Tournament deadline is May 10, 2016. Walk-in entrants will be allowed only if lanes are available.
- No entries will be accepted without full payment of fees and without all requested information completed. No entry fees will be refunded.

#### **AVERAGE REQUIREMENT**

- 7. Entrant shall use their highest certified USBC average established in any USBC youth certified league from the 2014-2015 season for 21 games or more OR their highest average from a current 2015-2016 season for 12 games or more as of April 16, 2016. A copy of the league standing sheet as of April 16 must accompany the entry form. It is the bowler's responsibility to provide league sheets.
- If entrant does not have 12 or more games in a Maryland USBC Youth league in the 2015-16 season they must bowl scratch.

#### **FORMAT**

- This tournament is scratch and handicap. All entrants will bowl six (6) games across twelve (12) lanes. There will be separate divisions for boys and girls. Total pin fall will determine the winners.
- 10. Scholarships will be awarded in the following order for boy and girl divisions. 1st place handicap and scratch \$750.00, 2nd place handicap and scratch \$500.00. 10 entrants in the

- division will be required in order to pay  $2^{\text{nd}}$  place scholarships.
- Bowlers may win only one prize for a life-time. Scratch will take precedence. Scholarships will be deposited into USBC SMART Account # 11225.
- Scheduling will be accomplished on a first come, first served basis.
- 13. All entrants must check in at least 30 minutes prior to competition. All entrants must present current Maryland USBC Youth membership card at check in.
- Tardy entrants will be permitted to bowl but will receive a zero for all frames missed.
- 15. No participant will be permitted to use tobacco products, illegal drugs, alcoholic beverages, foul language, or play game machines during competition. No portable radios, CD's or electronic devices of any kind will be allowed. Use of cell phones for any reason during competition will not be allowed.
- 16. All participants will be required to wear suitable attire. Appropriate attire will be determined at the discretion of the tournament director. No hats, inappropriate t-shirts, midriff shirts or very short or very low cut pants will be allowed.
- 17. One lane courtesy will be observed. There will be no extra loud noise, inappropriate gestures or running-out shots.
- 18. Entrants must remain in the bowling circle and be ready to bowl when it is their turn or a zero frame may be given. Only participants and bowling officials shall be permitted in the bowling circle during competition.
- Tournament Director shall decide any questions not covered by these rules. Any appeal or protest must be made in accordance with USBC rules within 48 hours of competition.
- USBC Rules will prevail when not specifically covered in the above.

Signed:	
Date:	