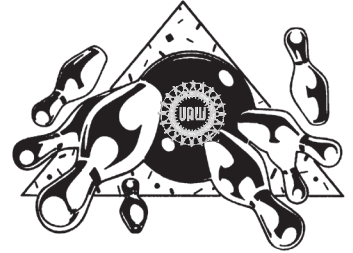


Remittance Payable to “Region 4 UAW Activity Fund”

Mail or Deliver with Entry to:

Bradley Schwanda, Education Coordinator
Region 4, UAW
1000 E. Center St.
Ottawa, IL 61350



RULES AND REGULATIONS

All bowlers must be members (active or retired) or spouses of members of Region 4 (honorary withdrawals not accepted). Highest USBC certified league average of 2017/2018 season will be taken. The minimum handicap average allowed for men will be 140, for women 120. In case of no average, men bowlers may enter at 200, women bowlers at 165.

When the previous season's average is used, and at the time of bowling an entrant has a current average for 21 or more games that is 15 pin or more higher than the prior season's average, the current average must be used. If no average from 2017/2018 season, the highest current average with a minimum of 21 games will be used, as of January 1, 2019.

IT SHALL BE EACH BOWLER'S RESPONSIBILITY IF THEY SHOULD BECOME ELIGIBLE FOR ANY PRIZES TO VERIFY THE ACCURACY OF THEIR AVERAGE WHETHER SUBMITTED BY THE BOWLER, TEAM CAPTAIN OR OTHERS. FAILURE TO USE THE CORRECT AVERAGE SHALL DISQUALIFY SCORE IF SUBMITTED AVERAGE IS LOWER THAN CORRECT AVERAGE THEREBY RESULTING IN MORE HANDICAP. PRIZE WINNINGS SHALL BE BASED ON THE SUBMITTED AVERAGE IF IT IS HIGHER THAN THE CORRECT AVERAGE. HOWEVER, CORRECTIONS IN AVERAGES MAY BE PERMITTED UP TO THE COMPLETION OF THE FIRST GAME OF A SERIES.

Bowlers who have qualified for a prize of \$600.00 or more in any event in a tournament within the previous 12-month period must report - Actual Score - Position and Amount Won 10 days prior to scheduled date for possible rerating. Any bowler who reports a lower average than required or fails to report a prize of \$600 or more, previous 12 months, shall forfeit the tournament entry fee and prize winnings. Rule 319d in the USBC rules apply to ALL Participants.

The verified average and name of a substitute must accompany team entry. Substitutions are limited to two. Corrections must be made one hour prior to starting time. Absolutely no change in original line up. A bowler can only bowl once in any event. **The right to refuse an entry is reserved by the Tournament Committee.**

Entries will be accepted up to January 25, 2019. Absolutely no refunds after February 1, 2019. No refunds due to inclement weather unless the Tournament is canceled by the Bowling House. “The prize ratio will be at least one prize for each 10 entries or major fraction thereof. The ratio of return to entrants in the All Events will be governed by Rule 307 of **USBC.**” **Only Official Entry Forms will be accepted.**

There will be two separate divisions, namely men and women, and each will have separate prize lists. All winners must produce absolute proof of their average before being paid (Refer to City Association Year Book).

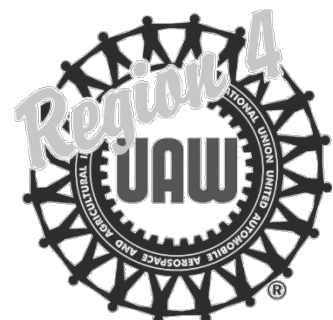
In the Team Competition, teams will stay on the assigned lanes for all three games. In the Singles Competition, the bowler will stay on the assigned lanes for all three games.

Bowlers are requested to check in at least one hour before starting time.

Preferred dates and squad times will be granted whenever possible; however, the committee reserves the right to schedule according to lanes available.

USBC members and nonmembers may participate in a Moral Support certified tournament with award recognition automatically extended to USBC members. Eligible nonmembers may qualify for USBC award recognition at their option by paying the appropriate fee for which the respective Congress will issue an unattached membership card.

Any team member or team, whose behavior is unruly, intolerable, or offensive, as determined by the Tournament Coordinator, will be disqualified and his/her team will be suspended from the Tournament.



Ronald D. McInroy, Director
Region 4 UAW