

INTERNATIONAL UNION, UNITED AUTOMOBILE, AEROSPACE AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT WORKERS OF AMERICA-UAW RAY CURRY, President MARGARET MOCK, secretary-treasurer

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January 17, 2023

To: All Local Union Presidents, Recording Secretaries, and Financial Secretaries in Region 4, UAW

Greetings:

Region 4 UAW is excited to bring you the **3rd Annual Bowling Tournament.** This event has a historical background, as it was in 1948 that Region 4 held the first interracial bowling event in the UAW. It took the organizers months to find a bowling house in Chicago, Illinois that would allow people of different ethnicities to bowl together. Re-establishing our bowling tournament without such hurdles reminds us that we have come a long way since 1948, yet we know we still have a long way to go.

Again this year, the Region 4 UAW bowling tournament will be held at Illinois Valley Super Bowl, 4242 Mahoney Drive, Peru, IL 61354 on Saturday, April 22, 2023.

A Tournament Notice to display at your worksite can be obtained on our website at <u>https://region4.uaw.org/regional-call-letters</u>. This call letter, the enclosed entry form, and tournament rules can also be found there.

NOTICE: PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE FINAL STANDINGS AND PRIZE STRUCTURE FOR THIS TOURNAMENT WILL NOT BE MAILED OUT IN HARD COPY. THIS INFORMATION WILL ONLY BE POSTED ON <u>REGION4.UAW.ORG</u> AFTER THE CLOSE OF THE TOURNAMENT. THE TEAM CAPTAIN OF WINNING TEAM(S) AND INDIVIDUALS WITH TOP SCORES FOR THE SINGLES CONTEST WILL BE NOTIFIED BY EMAIL. IN ACCORDANCE WITH UAW REGULATIONS, WINNERS WILL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE AND SUBMIT AN IRS FORM W-9 FOR PAYOUT. PLEASE ALLOW 30 DAYS FOR PROCESSING TIME AFTER SUBMISSION OF THE FORM.

The Tournament will be conducted under the direction of the Region 4 UAW Education Department. Scoring will be based on a 90% handicap. Please take care to read the rules and regulations on the official entry form. Special attention should be given to the entry form regarding average verification. A bowler's 2021-2022 average <u>must</u> be used for tournament entry. However, if this is not available, the bowler's current year, sanctioned league average (including summer) of 21 games or more will be used. Alternatively, if the first two options do not exist, then men use an average of 200 and women use an average of 165.

The Regional Tournament is a qualifying event for the UAW International Finals Championship that will be held in Allen Park, MI on Saturday, May 20, 2023. All teams entering our Regional Tournament will automatically be affiliated with and eligible to compete in the UAW International Teams Finals, based on a ratio of one out of every six teams entered. Up to 3 top qualifying teams will have their International Finals registration fee paid by the Region.

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<u>Registration</u>: The entry fee is \$35 for single and \$175 for a 5-person team. Bowlers may compete either as a single, on a team, or in both events. This must be paid by CHECK or MONEY ORDER ONLY, made payable to Region 4 UAW Activity Fund. Absolutely no cash will be accepted.

*The deadline for entries (including entry fee) and lodging fee (if applicable – see below) must be received by April 3, 2023 to the following address:

UAW Region 4 900 E. Center Street Ottawa, IL 61350 Attn: Bowling Tournament

Lodging Option: Rooms at the UAW Pat Greathouse Center will be available at \$70.00 per room, per night on Friday, April 21st and the night of Saturday, April 22, 2023. The PGC hotel is located at 1000 E. Center Street, Ottawa, IL 61350.

Please contact Tamara at 815-433-2500, ext. 101 to make room reservations for the Center. The lodging fee must be paid by check or money order and received by the April 3, 2023 deadline to secure your room.

If you get the office voicemail, please leave a message with your request and your email address for confirmation and/or follow-up.

You will be emailed a confirmation number once your reservation has been received. When making reservations, please indicate if the delegate(s) has special room requirements (PGC management will not change rooms during the check-in process).

PGC Hotel check-in will begin at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, April 21, 2023. Check-out will be at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 22, 2023 and by 10:00 a.m. on Sunday, April 23, 2023.

In the event rooms at the PGC become sold out, we also have negotiated rates at the Comfort Inn (formerly Holiday Inn Express, 815-433-0029), Fairfield Inn (815-431-8955), the Hampton Inn (815-434-6040) and the Super 8 Motel (815-434-2888). Ask for the UAW rate – All rates are subject to availability.

There are also a host of hotels directly in Peru; however, we do not have negotiated rates with any of them.

I look forward to seeing bowlers from your Local Union or Unit participating in the 3rd Annual Region 4 UAW Bowling Tournament.

In Solidarity,

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Brandon Campbell, Director Region 4 UAW

BC:BS:tw/opeiu494/afl-cio Enclosures (2)

cc: Lucas DeSpain Brad Dutcher Bradley Schwanda All Regional Staff

ENTRY FEE \$35.00 PER PERSON PER EVENT Must Accompany Entry

- 1. Prize Fee\$10.00
- 2. Bowling Fee\$13.00
- 3. Tourney Expenses ...\$ 12.00

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES

Monday, April 3, 2023 PRIZE FEES RETURNED 100% AWARDS TO WINNERS OF EACH EVENT AND IN EACH DIVISION PARTICIPATION. HANDICAP BASIS 90% (Difference between



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average and 220)

Team Name

REGION 4 UAW 3rd ANNUAL BOWLING TOURNAMENT

April 22, 2023

To be held at:

Illinois Valley Super Bowl USBC CERTIFIED 4242 Mahoney Drive, Peru IL 61354 (815) 223-5085

OPEN TO ALL REGION 4 MEMBERS (Active and Retired) and SPOUSES <u>ONLY</u>

Entry No.									
Please show amount accompanying entry									
Team Entry Fee \$175.00									
Singles Entry Fee (\$35.00 per person)									
TOTAL									
Amount Received									

Make Checks Payable to: Region 4 UAW Activity Fund

Illinois Valley Super Bowl

Date and Squad Time (Circle Team, Single or Both)								
	Team	12:00 PM						
April 22, 2023	Single	3:30 PM						

Team Captain			City			Zip Code	Phone			
Print lineup of team in order they will bowl. – Show Full Name (as in Yearbook)		xed ams - F	City	State	Zip	Email (Required)	USBC #	Highest Average		A=Active R=Retired S=Spouse
1.										
2.										
3.										
4.										
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Team Captains are requested to check in one hour before starting time.

The undersigned certifies that the players' names on entry blank are members in good standing of the UAW to whom competition in this tournament must be restricted.

Officer Signature_

Local No.

Plant Name & Local Union No.

ABSOLUTELY NO ENTRIES

ACCEPTED AFTER TOURNAMENT DEADLINE

Brd Annual REGION 4 UAW



Bowling Tournament Director Region 4 UAW

April 22, 2023

at:

Illinois Valley Super Bowl

4242 Mahoney Drive, Peru, IL 61354

OPEN TO ALL REGION 4 UAW MEMBERS Team Event & Singles Event ALL PRIZE MONEY TO BE RETURNED 100%



Official entry forms available through your Local Union , or you may visit the Region 4 website at:

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Deadline for Entries: April 3, 2023

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