



2017-18 Annual Adult / Youth Doubles Tournament Entry Form



- \$16 of every entry goes to SMART prize fund
- Every youth entry receives Bowling lanyard
- Every entry qualifies youth for exclusive tournament award program
- Every entry qualifies GDUSBC youth for chance to be on the All City Team



Join us at Royal Z Lanes 2667 US-22 & OH-3, Wilmington, OH 45177

April 14, 15, 21 and 22 in 2018

USBC Number *MANDATORY*	First Name	Last Name	Birthdate	Age as of 8/1/2017	Home Center	2016-17 Average	Scratch
Youth 1.							Y / N
Address:		City:	State:	Zip:	Email:	Ph:	
Adult 2.							Y / N
Address:		City:	State:	Zip:	Email:	Ph:	

Please circle squad choice below:

Date 4/14 Saturday	Date 4/15 Sunday	Date 4/15 Sunday	Date 4/21 Saturday	Date 4/22 Sunday	Date 4/22 Sunday
Squad 2:00 pm	Squad 12:00 pm	Squad 3:00 pm	Squad 2:00 pm	Squad 12:00 pm	Squad 3:00 pm



Please circle Division below (youth determines division):

Bantam	Prep (9-12)	Junior (13-16)	Major (17-20)
All	Girl	Girl	Girl
	Boy	Boy	Boy

Adult/Youth Entry Fee: \$50.00

(\$25.00 per bowler)

\$22.00 bowling

\$16.00 SMART Money Prize fund

\$12.00 awards (lanyards and pins) and expenses

Optional (\$5 per bowler):

\$10 scratch option (100% prize return)

Payment options include:

Cash

Check

Credit Card: Master Card, Visa, American Express

(please note \$2 processing fee with credit cards)

Paid Entries can be mailed to:

GDUSBC

50 Walnut St.

Dayton, OH 45402



Office use only

Payment:

Date Received:

Entry #:

Squad:

Division:

Processed by:



2017-18 Annual Adult / Youth Tournament Rules

1. **Administration:** The Greater Dayton United States Bowling Congress will administer this tournament.
2. **Cost:** \$50.00 per team (\$25.00 per person). Scratch Division (optional) is \$5.00 per bowler. SCRATCH division scholarship money will be based on number of entries per division.
 - a. Walk-Ins will be accepted subject to lane availability. **Walk-in entries will close 30 minutes** prior to start of next shift. A walk-in is defined as an entry being submitted the day of the actual event bowled.
 - b. Payment must accompany entry form. Spots will not be held without full payment.
 - c. Both bowlers on a team must pay scratch to qualify for the optional Scratch Division.
3. **Eligibility:** This tournament is open to all youth bowlers who hold a current USBC Youth membership and adults who hold a current GDUSBC Adult membership. Adults who are not certified may purchase USBC membership at the tournament site or pay a \$5.00 participation fee.
4. **Teams:** Two (2) members per team.
5. **Participation:** Bowlers may bowl more than one time, but teammates must be changed.
6. **Handicap:** Team handicap will be 90% of 430 (all divisions).
7. **Averages:** Average used will be the highest average from the 2016-2017 bowl.com for 21 games. If a bowler does not have an existing 2016-2017 average listed on bowl.com, he/she will enter the tournament as a scratch 215, unless the bowler is able to provide a current standing sheet from a 2017-2018 sanctioned youth league with an average comprised of at least 9 games.
8. **Re-rates:** If the league was a sport and/or challenger condition league, the average will be adjusted according to the rule#201c (rate will be adjusted to the rate published in the current USBC rate chart).
9. **Format for the Tournament:**
 - a. This tournament will be conducted in four divisions: Bantam, Prep, Junior and Major.
 - b. There will be two categories for each division: Boy and Girl.
 - i. The Bantam division will not have categories and will all be competing in one division.
 - c. There is an OPTIONAL scratch division for all divisions and categories. Both bowlers must enter to qualify.
 - d. All divisions will bowl three (3) games.
 - e. Winners will be determined by total pins including handicap.
 - f. Scoring errors: Scoring errors must be reported to the tournament office within one half hour of the completion of the shift bowled in which the error occurred.
 - g. Tardy Teams: Teams and/or bowlers must start in the frame being bowled at the time they arrive in the tournament office. Teams and/or bowlers will receive zero (0) pins for all frames missed. No absentee scores are permitted.
 - h. In case of ties, duplicate awards will be presented.
10. **Entry Forms:** Entry form must be **COMPLETELY FILLED OUT & LEGIBLE**. Incomplete entry forms can lead to disqualification.
11. **Rules:** The tournament rules above and USBC rules will govern this tournament and will be strictly enforced. All rules not covered above will be determined by the tournament committee.
12. **AWARDS/SCHOLARSHIPS:** GDUSBC will present awards based on one for every seven entries in each division up to a maximum of ten awards. Awards will be presented at the annual awards banquet. Scholarships will be based on one out of every ten in each division.
13. **Dress Code:** All youth bowlers are expected to use good judgment and wear suitable attire during tournament play. Clothing choices must be presentable and non-offensive to other bowlers or spectators. Examples of prohibited attire include but are not limited to: any shorts that are more than 4 inches above the knee, pants hanging below the waist, display of underwear and/or body parts, hats, low-cut shirts, see-through clothing, T-shirts with alcohol or cigarette advertisements, inappropriate language, gestures, or gambling. Bowlers may be required to change if attire is deemed inappropriate by a GDUSBC Tournament Official. Tournament Official's decision will be final. Failure to comply with any dress code rule will result in a verbal warning and apparel change (if applicable). Second offense will result in offender being asked to leave the center for the day, disqualification from the tournament and forfeiture of any entry fees submitted.
14. **Conduct:** Tournament Officials may warn or disqualify bowlers for unsportsmanlike or disruptive conduct. There will be a zero tolerance policy for foul language, rude gestures, or abuse of bowling center equipment. Tournament Officials and/or Bowling Center Management may remove any coach or spectator for disruptive conduct and if necessary, suspend them from attending future tournaments.
15. **All City:** Is open to all **GDUSBC** members only.
16. Please make checks/money order payable to Greater Dayton United States Bowling Congress (GDUSBC).

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