

**PIONEER VALLEY BOWLING SENATE, TNBA
24TH ANNIVERSARY
ANNUAL DOUBLES TOURNAMENT**

-----2 Fantastic Weekends-----

Tournament held @ Bowlero Chicopee Lanes
291 Burnett Road, Chicopee, MA. (413) 592-9161
Saturday July 25th, Sunday July 26th, 2026
Saturday August 1st and Sunday August 2nd, 2026

1st Place DOUBLES--\$2,000.00—Base on 300 entries
1st Place SINGLES \$500.00—Based on 300 entries

Prize Ratio: 1-8 based on 300 Entries (Both Dbls/Sgles)—Prize fee Returned 100%
Squad Times: Saturday, July 25th 12, 2, 4 pm, Sunday July 26th, 12, 2, 4 pm. Saturday, August 1st, 12, 2, 4 pm, - Sunday August 2nd, 12, 2, 4 pm
Entries Close Sunday, August 2, 2026 @ 4 pm

**Saturday
JULY 25th
\$50 High Game
Scratch
Male
&
Female**

**Saturday
August 1st
\$50 High Series
Scratch
Male
&
Female**

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Entry Fee Breakdown

	Double	Single (optional)
Entry Fee Per Team	\$80.00	\$10.00 per Person
Prize Fee:	40.00	9.00
Expense:	36.00	1.00

We are now accepting Cash app, Venmo Zell, and Cash

ALL BOWLERS MUST BE SANCTIONED BY TNBA AND USBC

Doors open at 11AM

For Information and entry form call: Tournament Manager- LaVerne Strickland-140 Cherokee Drive-
Springfield, MA-(413)782-4595, sldb bowling@aol.com or
Darryl Williams-Assistance Tournament Manager - 57 Chaplin Terr. Springfield, MA-(413)-246-1403

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TOURNAMENT RULES

The following are the official rules and regulation of the Pioneer Valley Bowling Senate Doubles Tournament will be held two (2) big weekends, with entry closing on Sunday **August 2, 2026 at 4PM. Walk-ins will be accepted.**

1. Eligibility:

- a) Shall be sanctioned and governed by rules of USBC and TNBA; and shall be open to all sanction members of USBC and TNBA for the **2025-2026 season**. Non USBC members may enter by paying an unattached membership fee: Adult-National, USBC \$27.00 fee. Non TNBA members may enter by paying \$25.00 TNBA membership fee.
- b) **Bowlers shall present their membership cards or proof of membership before entering this tournament.**
- c) Bowlers are required to report any previous tournament prize winnings of **\$600.00** cash in the previous 12 months period. They must report actual scores, position, and amount won to the tournament manager **Prior to Bowling**, for the possibility to be re-rated. Failure to comply shall cause an adjustment, or forfeiture of tournament entry fee and prize winnings. (**Rule 319d**).
- d) No PBA, WBA regional pro bowlers allowed.
- e) Please note, new gender classification USBC rule (See tournament manager)

2. Entering Average:

- a) All participants must use the **highest 2024-2025 season average, as indicated on Bowl.com OR highest current** league average for **2025-2026 season** with a minimum of 42 games.
- b) Bowlers with no average must use an average of **220**.
Bowl.com or current league standing sheet considered official for all averages.
- c) **Summers averages. will not be accepted.**
- d) **Ten-pin average rule does apply to tournament average.** If your average for **2025-2026** season (minimum) of 42 games is higher by 10 pins or more than, **2024—2025** season, the bowler **must be use highest average. (Rule 319a-3)**. Local association average book will be considered official for average verification or Bowl.com.

3. Average adjustment/re-rating: Bowlers shall familiarize themselves with USBC Rule 319e. Rule 319e will apply to all participants.

4. The tournament management reserves the right to re-rate or disqualify any participant at **ANY TIME** not in compliance with Pioneer Valley Bowling Senate tournament, USBC or TNBA rules.

5. **It shall be each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of his or her average whether submitted by the entrant, their partner or others. Failure to use the proper average or make corrections prior to the completion of the series shall disqualify scores bowled. If the submitted average is higher than the bowler's actual average, prize winnings will be based on the submitted average (USBC rules 319a, 3, 4). There will be no return of funds on disqualification.**

All teams will bowl three (3) games on the same pair of lanes with total pins plus handicap determining the winners. Handicap in this tournament will be 100% / 220.

6. Re-entries are permitted in Doubles and Singles events. Bowlers can cash multiple times in the Doubles event, **but only once with the same partner**. (USBC rule 315) If a tie occurs for first place, after all teams have completed the final squad **August 2, 2026**, at 4:00 PM, the two teams will split first and second place prize money.
7. Prize fund returned 100%. Prize ratio will be one (1) out of (eight (8) team entries, Prize ratio will be (1) out of (8) for singles entries. Cash prizes will be awarded in accordance with standings.
8. Entry fee: \$80.00 per team (\$40.00 per person). **No personal checks accepted**. We will accept cash, Venmo, Cash app, Zelle, Bank checks, money orders or senate checks. Make check or money order payable to Pioneer Valley Bowling Senate.
9. . The decision of the tournament manager shall be final on any and all disputes that may arise from technicalities which may have been omitted by the standing rules unless an appeal is made in accordance with. (USBC Rule 303).
10. **FAILURE TO READ THE RULES IS NO EXCUSE**

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Entry Number			Amount Paid-----			
			Cash-----	Cash app-----	Zell-----	Venmo-----
Name	M__ F__	USBC #	TNBA#	Hi Book Avg. 2024-2025 Season	Hi Current Avg. 2025-2026 Season	
Home Address			Area Code / Phone #		Optional	Entry # _____
City, State, Zip Code			Senate Affiliation		Singles only	
					__ Hdep.	
					__ Scratch	
					<u>E-mail-----</u>	
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Good Luck and Good Bowling