



# 6TH ANNUAL DC'S FINEST MIXED HANDICAP TOURNAMENT 2011



USBC CERTIFIED

**1 BIG WEEKEND ~ JULY 16/17, 2011**

**BOWLERAMA LANES, 3031 New Castle Avenue, New Castle, DE**

**SQUAD TIMES: 11:30a & 4:00p on SATURDAY and 9:00a and 1:00p on SUNDAY**

**FEATURING TEAMS (2 MEN, 2 WOMEN), MIXED DBLS (1 MAN, 1 WOMAN) ALL EVENTS (HCP / SCR)**

DOUBLES / SINGLES ENTRY			1 <sup>ST</sup> CHOICE DATE / TIME	2 <sup>ND</sup> CHOICE DATE / TIME	HIGHEST BK AVG (21+ GMS)	OPTIONAL SCRATCH DBLS & SGLS		OPTIONAL SENIOR'S HCP SGLS
USBC #	SEX M-F	BOWLER'S NAME: FIRST MI LAST	ADDRESS: STREET CITY, STATE AND ZIP		USBC BK AVG 2009-2010	SCR DBLS	SCR SGLS	SENIOR HCP SGLS
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**COST (\$25. PER EVENT, \$12. PRIZE FUND, \$13. LINEAGE & EXPENSES) EARLY ENTRY DEADLINE – MAY 7, 2011**  
**ENTRIES AND RE-ENTRIES ACCEPTED UNTIL JULY 17, 2011. WALK-INS ALLOWED IF LANES ARE AVAILABLE**

HANDICAP EVENTS	QTY	TOTAL	OPTIONAL SCRATCH EVENTS	QTY	TOTAL
\$100. = TEAM	x _____	= _____	\$20. = TEAM	x _____	= _____
\$ 50. = DBLS	x _____	= _____	\$10. = DBLS	x _____	= _____
\$ 25. = SGLS	x _____	= _____	\$ 5. = SGLS	x _____	= _____
\$ 5. = ALL EVENTS	x _____	= _____	\$ 5. = ALL EVENTS	x _____	= _____

**NEW!!! \$ 5. = SENIOR'S HCP SGLS** x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_  
**MUST BE 55+ YEARS**

TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM ENTRY TEAM NAME:			1 <sup>ST</sup> CHOICE DATE / TIME	2 <sup>ND</sup> CHOICE DATE / TIME	HIGHEST BK AVG (21+ GMS)	HCP ALL EVENTS	OPTIONAL SCR TMS & SCR ALL EVENTS	
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**SEND CERTIFIED CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO DC'S FINEST TOURNAMENT**

CAPTAIN'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## DC's Finest Mixed Handicap Tournament Rules

1. This Tournament is governed by USBC rules/regulations. **All bowlers must show their current USBC certification cards at check-in.** No USBC membership cards can be purchased on site.
2. The first time they bowl, bowlers entered in the singles event must also enter the doubles event and vice versa. Doubles will be bowled first. Bowlers may enter the singles event multiple times, but may cash only once. Bowlers may enter the doubles event multiple times, but may cash only once with the same partner. Re-entries in the doubles event are allowed only if both bowlers have previously bowled their singles events. Bowlers may enter the team event multiple times, but may cash only once with the same 4 team members. Bowlers may cash multiple times in the team event as long as 2 members on the team have changed. The handicap and scratch all events totals shall be based on the bowler's 1<sup>st</sup> doubles, singles and team scores bowled.
3. The handicap will be 90% of the difference between the bowler's entering average and 220.
4. Bowlers will use their highest certified year book average for 2009-2010 based on 21 games or more. If there is no 2009-2010 year book average, the bowler must use their highest current average based on 21 games or more, as of May 31, 2011. If a bowler does not have a yearbook or current average and competed in a summer league, then that average, based on 21 games or more as of July 9, 2011 may be used. All others will bowl with a scratch 220 average. **ALL AVERAGES MUST BE VERIFIED PRIOR TO BOWLING.** Association average books or verification from a league Secretary will be accepted. USBC rules 319a, b, c, d and e will apply. **The 10-pin rule is NOT in effect. Bowlers that have been re-rated during the past year in any tournament must report the re-rated average. Tournament officials have the right to re-rate any bowler prior to bowling. If the bowler does not accept the re-rated average, the entry fee shall be returned.**
5. It is the bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of their own average no matter who may submit the average. Failure to use the correct average shall disqualify the score if the submitted average is lower than the correct average. Average corrections should be made prior to the completion of the 1<sup>st</sup> game of the event bowled. If a higher average is used, the prize winnings will be based on the higher average. There shall be no return of entry fees when disqualified.
6. If an entrant has won \$600.00 or more in total prize winnings in the last year for any event in a tournament, he/she must submit all of his/her tournament scores and winnings prior to bowling. See USBC rule 319d. The average adjustment rule will also apply. See USBC rule 319e.
7. **Teams MUST consist of 2 Men and 2 Women. Doubles MUST consist of 1 Male and 1 Female.** The team captain may make substitutions, however only same sex substitutions will be accepted.
8. Early entry deadline is May 7, 2011. Entries, re-entries and walk-ins will be accepted based on lane availability until the close of the tournament, 1:00pm, July 17, 2011. Additional squads may be added as needed based on availability and squad times may be altered as needed.
9. Scores lost due to malfunction of automatic scorers shall be re-bowled.
10. In order to qualify for scratch prizes, bowlers must enter in the scratch events. For a team to qualify for scratch teams, all bowlers on the team must enter the scratch team event. For a doubles team to qualify for scratch doubles, both bowlers must enter the scratch doubles event.
11. For the optional senior's handicap singles, bowlers will use scores bowled in the singles event and must show a valid id upon request for proof of age (55+) to enter.
12. The prize ratio for each event will be one prize for five entries. Lineage and expenses = \$13.00, prize money = \$12.00 per bowler per handicap event. **Prize Money will be returned 100%. Only certified checks or money orders accepted. Cash will be accepted on site only for entries and re-entries.**
13. Should a tie occur for first place, after all teams have completed the final squad, July 17, 2011, the two teams shall split first and second place prize money.
14. Group coordinators that submit 8 or more team entries, shall receive a free individual entry for singles, doubles, teams and all events handicap or \$80.00
15. This is an amateur event and no current touring professional bowlers will be allowed to participate. The Tournament committee will make all decisions and reserves the right to refuse or reject any entry.
16. Employees and staff of Bowlerama Lanes and DC's Finest Tournament are eligible to bowl in this tournament.
17. All decisions of the tournament manager are final unless an appeal is made in accordance with Rule 329.