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**27TH ANNUAL
VIRGINIA STATE USBC
MIXED HANDICAP
TOURNAMENT**



USBC Certified

Conducted by:

**VIRGINIA STATE
USBC**



Hosted by:

CENTRAL SHENANDOAH VALLEY USBC

**FEB 21-22, FEB 28 -MAR 1, 7-8
(MAR 14-15, 21-22 IF NEEDED)**

ENTRIES CLOSE MIDNIGHT JANUARY 23, 2015
CAREFULLY READ RULES ON PAGE 3 BEFORE FILLING OUT ENTRY BLANK

Send All Entries Or Inquiries To:

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TEAM NAME		CAPTAIN'S NAME		PHONE	
ADDRESS		CITY		STATE	
NAME OF YOUR LOCAL BOWLING ASSOCIATION		CITY WHERE YOU BOWL		ENTERING AVERAGE	
TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY THE BOWLER'S NAME AS IT APPEARS IN THE YEARBOOK		BOWLER ID		FINAL 13-14	
LAST FIRST INITIAL				CURRENT AVERAGE JAN. 1, 2015	
1		M F			
2		M F			
3		M F			
4		M F			

<p>TEAM EVENT Staunton Lanes 831 Greenville Ave. Staunton, VA 24401</p>	<p>MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO: VIRGINIA STATE MIXED TOURNAMENT FUND AMOUNT MAILED WITH ENTRY 4 PERSON TEAM EVENT \$80.00 PER TEAM \$ _____</p> <p>DOUBLES EVENT \$40.00 PER TEAM \$ _____</p> <p>SINGLES EVENT \$20.00 PER PERSON \$ _____</p> <p>ALL EVENTS HCP. \$6.00 PER PERSON \$ _____</p> <p>ALL EVENTS SCRATCH \$6.00 PER PERSON \$ _____</p> <p>AMOUNT RECEIVED \$ _____</p> <p>TOTAL \$ _____</p> <p>ENTRIES CLOSE - JANUARY 23, 2015</p>	<p>TEAM DATES AND TIMES</p> <p>DATES FEBRUARY 21-22 MARCH 14-15, 21-22 FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 1 IF NEEDED MARCH 7-8</p> <p>TIMES SAT 9:00 AM - 12:00 NOON SUN 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM</p>			
		<p>1st CHOICE 2nd CHOICE 3rd CHOICE 4th CHOICE</p> <p>DATE TIME DATE TIME DATE TIME DATE TIME</p>			
		<p>CHECK YOUR AVERAGE BE SURE YOU USE THE CORRECT AVERAGE. IF YOU HAVE BEEN RE-RATED BY ANY OTHER TOURNAMENT MANAGER BE SURE TO READ RULE 319e AND ABIDE BY THE RULE. TOURNAMENT MANAGER WILL BE CHECKING WITH OTHER TOURNAMENT MANAGERS. IF YOU ARE USING A CURRENT AVERAGE, BE SURE TO SEND A VERIFICATION OF THE AVERAGE SIGNED BY THE LEAGUE SECRETARY OF THE LEAGUE IN WHICH YOU HAVE THE HIGHEST AVERAGE. THIS VERIFICATION MUST SHOW NUMBER OF PINS AND ALSO THE NUMBER OF GAMES. SEE RULE #5. SCRATCH ALL EVENT SEE RULE #16.</p>			
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Entry Fee Per Person Per Event			
PRIZE FEE	TEAM \$7.00	SINGLES \$7.00	DOUBLES \$7.00
TOURNAMENT EXPENSE FEE INCLUDES LINAGE	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$12.00
SCHOLARSHIPS	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
ALL EVENTS (OPTIONAL) \$6.00			
THERE WILL BE A \$35.00 FEE FOR ALL CHECKS RETURNED			

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<p>Singles & Doubles Valley Lanes 3106 South Main St. Harrisonburg, VA 22801</p>	<p>MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO: VA STATE MIXED TOURNAMENT FUND</p> <p>SAM FARTHING 545 INGRAM STREET DANVILLE, VA 24540 (434) 799-9049</p> <p>ENTRIES CLOSE JANUARY 23, 2015</p>	<p>SINGLES & DOUBLES DATES AND TIMES</p> <p>DATES FEBRUARY 21-22 MARCH 14-15, 21-22 FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 1 IF NEEDED MARCH 7-8</p> <p>TIMES SAT 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM SUN 8:00 AM - 12 NOON</p>			
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RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. USBC Tournament Rules and Regulations shall govern the conduct of this Tournament.
2. **ELIGIBILITY:** All USBC members certified by the Virginia State USBC Associations in good standing are eligible to participate in this tournament. Bowlers who are not members of USBC can qualify for entry by paying an affiliate membership of \$21.00
3. **TIME PREFERENCE:** Entries will be scheduled in order of receipt.
4. **PARTICIPATION:** Bowlers entered in the doubles event must also enter the singles event. Likewise, all singles event entrants must also bowl in the doubles event. A bowler is not eligible to enter or compete more than once in the singles and doubles. A bowler may compete in the team event twice, but no more than two (2) bowlers from a previous entry can be on the second team. Not more than two (2) players on a team can place more than once in the prize standings. The team must consist of (2) two males and (2) two females. (Doubles Events must consist of (1) male and (1) female.)
5. **TOURNAMENT AVERAGE:** Entrants will use their highest USBC Adult certified yearbook average based on a minimum of 21 games for the 2013-2014 season. If no winter season average, the highest league average as of the end of the 2014 Adult summer season, provided 21 games or more have been bowled. If the entrant has no average, use the highest current USBC certified average, 21 games or more as of January 1, 2015. If the entrant does not have a January 1, 2015 average, use highest January 23, 2015 certified average 21 games or more. All others will bowl scratch. **ALL AVERAGES MUST BE VERIFIED PRIOR TO BOWLING.** Association yearbooks' or secretaries' verification will be accepted. The 10-pin over last season average will not apply. (If the submitted average is different than the correct average, the bowler will automatically be reclassified with the handicap for the corrected average. (USBC Rule 319 does apply.)
6. **HANDICAP:** The handicap shall be 100% of the difference between the individual average and 230, based on three games for both male and female.
7. **ORDER OF BOWLING:** Teams will bowl as submitted on the entry form. Singles will be bowled before doubles. No substitute will be accepted for All-Events prize list participation when only one event, or portion of an event, has been bowled by the original bowler or another substitute.
8. **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:** Entries will close at MIDNIGHT, JANUARY 23, 2015 All fees must accompany entry form. Make check or Money Order payable to the Virginia State Mixed Tournament Fund. (Returned checks \$35.00)
9. **PRIZE MONEY AND DISTRIBUTION:** Prize money shall be paid on a handicap basis. Prize money will be distributed at a ratio of at least 1 for every 10 entries in the team, double, men's singles and women's singles. All-Events prize money will be distributed at a ratio of at least 1 for every 20 entries in the men's and women's scratch and handicap categories. Prize checks will be mailed to the listed team captain. All tournament checks become VOID ninety (90) days after issuance.
10. **ENTRY FEE:** The entry fee will be \$20.00 per event. All entrants may enter All-Events by paying an optional All-Events prize fee. The entrant may pay \$6.00 each for scratch and handicap division or pay \$12.00 for both. Breakdown is as follows: Team: \$28.00 prize fee, \$48.00 expense fee includes lineage, \$4.00 to the Blake Harrison Memorial Scholarship Fund. Doubles: \$14.00 prize fee, \$24.00 expense fee includes lineage, \$2.00 to the Blake Harrison Memorial Scholarship Fund. Singles: \$7.00 prize fee, \$12.00 expense fee includes lineage, \$1.00 to the Blake Harrison Memorial Scholarship Fund. **All prize fees collected in an event or division of an event will be returned 100 percent to the participants in that event or division.**
11. **LANE ASSIGNMENT:** Lanes will be assigned by the Tournament Manager. Tournament manager reserves the right to create additional squads if necessary. However, no squad may be added after the final squad on March 22, 2015.
12. **REPLACEMENTS:** Team captains may make replacements in the entry by reporting such replacements to the tournament manager at least 30 minutes prior to the time scheduled to bowl. Written verification of average must be submitted within 72 hours from shift starting time.
13. **SUBSTITUTES:** If a substitution is made in any event, the substitute must take the place of the bowler he or she is replacing. **NO REARRANGING WILL BE PERMITTED IN THE LINE-UP IN ANY OF THE EVENTS.** Substitutes will not be required to reimburse the original entrant for the entry fee paid, nor shall they be expected to give the original entrant any money won. A substitute replacing a bowler who entered into the All-Events shall be entered automatically provided the substitute replaces the original bowler in all three events.
14. **OFFICIAL SCORE:** The telescore will be the official score during the game, and the official score tabulation sheet will then be audited and obvious errors will be corrected. Protests involving the scores or any other rules must be made before payment of tournament prizes.
15. **AVERAGE ADJUSTMENT:** The tournament manager reserves the right to adjust any bowler's average prior to participation where there is evidence his or her average does not represent the bowler's true ability. USBC Rule 319E **WILL APPLY** to all bowlers.
16. **ALL-EVENTS:** All-Events will be determined using the bowler's first team event plus the doubles and singles scores. Men's and Women's All-Events, both scratch and handicap, will be separate events. Only bowlers who have paid the All-Events entry fee are eligible to win. **TO ENTER THE SCRATCH EVENT THE BOWLER MUST ENTER THE HANDICAP EVENT.**
17. **PREMATURE TERMINATION:** Premature termination of the tournament brought on by war, national emergency, or emergency causes relating thereto or therefrom, fire, national disaster, or any other reason beyond the control of the Virginia State USBC shall cause, to the extent required thereby, all advertised prizes, guaranteed or otherwise, to be prorated in accordance with the number of entrants in each of the respective events up to the time of such termination.
18. The Virginia State USBC has the right to refuse entrant into brackets and may request social security numbers where a possible 1099 may be issued for winners.

MOTELS & RESTURANTS

STAUNTON

MOTELS

Best Western (Co-Host)
92 Rowe Rd.
Phone: (540)-885-1112
\$69.99 plus tax
Continental Breakfast

Sleep Inn
222 Jefferson Hwy.
Phone (540)-887-6500

Hampton Inn
40 Payne Ln
Phone (540)-886-7000

Comfort Inn
1302 Richmond Rd.
Phone (540)-885-7550

RESTAURANTS

Mill Street Grill
1 Mill St.
Phone (540)-886-0656

Cracker Barrel
1316 Jefferson Hwy
Phone (540)-885-7550

Mrs. Rowe Family Restaurant & Bakery
74 Rowe St.
Phone (540)-886-1833

Texas Steakhouse & Saloon
134 Rowe Rd.
Phone (540)-885-6073

HARRISONBURG

MOTELS

Holiday Inn Express (Co-Host)
3325 South Main St.
Phone (540) 433-9999
\$85.00 plus tax
Continental Breakfast

Best Western
45 Burgess Rd.
Phone (540)-433-6089

Comfort Inn
1440 E Market St.
Phone (540)-433-6066

Courtyard by Marriott
1890 Evelyn Byrd Ave.
Phone (540)-432-3031

Hampton Inn South
43 Covenant Dr.
Phone (540)-437-0090

RESTAURANTS

Outback Steakhouse
261 University Blvd.
Phone (540)-438-0190

Red Lobster
2121 East Market St.
Phone (540)-564-2719

Texas Roadhouse
1960 Evelyn Blvd.
Phone (540)-433-3650

Wood Grill
1711 Reservoir St.
Phone (540)-432-9303

Cracker Barrel
121 Pleasant Valley Rd.
Phone (540)-574-3099

Pano's
3190 S. Main St.
Phone (540)-434-2367