



VIRGINIA STATE USBC
55th Annual Youth Championship
 A CLASSIFIED HANDICAP CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

SINGLES & DOUBLES EVENT:

AMF HANOVER

7313 BELL CREEK RD.
 MECHANICSVILLE, VA 23111
 (804) 559-2600

TEAM EVENT / BUMPER SINGLES:

BOWL AMERICA EASTERN

5018 WILLIAMSBURG RD
 RICHMOND, VA 23231
 (804) 222-5183

Entry Fees Per Person Per Event

	Team	Singles & Doubles	Bumper Singles
Bowling Fee	\$10.50	\$10.50	\$7.00
Expense Fee	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Scholarship Fund	\$10.50	\$10.50	\$14.00
Total	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00

All Optional Events
 \$10.00*

*Expense Fee \$1.00

Certified By
USBC YOUTH DIVISION

Hosted By
VA STATE USBC &
GREATER RICHMOND
ASSOCIATION
 with RICK KETCHIE
 YOUTH TOURNAMENT MANAGER

JUNE 19 - 20, 2021

JUNE 26 - 27, 2021

9:00AM or 1:00PM

1st AND 2nd PLACE IN ALL DIVISIONS IN EACH EVENT
WILL BE PAID FROM UNASSIGNED SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS
1st - \$200 PER PERSON • 2nd - \$150 PER PERSON

ENTRIES CLOSE POSTMARKED MIDNIGHT FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 2021
ALL ENTRIES AFTER APRIL 9, 2021 MUST BE MONEY ORDER OR CERTIFIED CHECK

MAKE ALL CHECKS, MONEY ORDERS, AND CERTIFIED CHECKS PAYABLE TO:
VA STATE USBC YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP

SEND ALL COMPLETED ENTRIES WITH ENTRY FEES TO:

Rick Ketchie, Virginia State Youth Championship
 13167 Ormond Dr., Bristow, VA. 20136
 Telephone (703) 675-4124

TOTAL AMOUNT PAID: _____

ENTRY NUMBER: _____

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PLEASE READ THE RULES FIRST - TYPE OR PRINT AND FILL ALL SPACES COMPLETELY & CLEARLY

TEAM NAME:			CENTER NAME:						
COACH:			PH:		E-MAIL:				
ADDRESS:			CITY:		STATE:		ZIP:		
NAME OF YOUR LOCAL BOWLING ASSOCIATION					ENTERING AVERAGE			HANDICAP ALLEVENTS SCRATCH ALLEVENTS SCRATCH SINGLE BUMPER BOWLER	
TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY THE BOWLER'S NAME AS IT APPEARS ON THEIR SANCTION CARD LAST FIRST INITIAL					BOWLER ID# (EX: 2351-2515)	FEB 15 2021	APR 24 2021		SUMMER 2020
1									
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TEAM EVENT / BUMPER SINGLES

Bowl America Eastern
5018 Williamsburg Rd.
Richmond, VA 23231
804.222.5183

6/19/21 - 6/20/21
6/26/21 - 6/27/21
9:00AM or 1:00PM

DOUBLES & SINGLES

AMF Hanover
7313 Bell Creek Rd.
Mechanicsville, VA 23111
804.559.2600

ENTER DATE & TIME TEAM / BUMPER BOWL AMERICA EASTERN

1ST CHOICE: _____ | _____
2ND CHOICE: _____ | _____
3RD CHOICE: _____ | _____

TEAM EVENT \$100.00 _____
SINGLES EVENT \$25.00 _____
DOUBLE EVENT \$50.00 _____
HANDICAP A/E \$10.00 _____
SCRATCH A/E \$10.00 _____
SCRATCH SINGLE \$10.00 _____
BUMPER SINGLES \$25.00 _____
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE: _____

ENTER DATE & TIME FOR S & D AMF HANOVER

1ST CHOICE: _____ | _____
2ND CHOICE: _____ | _____
3RD CHOICE: _____ | _____

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ADDRESS:			CITY:		STATE: ZIP:	
PHONE:			E-MAIL:		BIRTHDATE: M OR F	
2						
ADDRESS:			CITY:		STATE: ZIP:	
PHONE:			E-MAIL:		BIRTHDATE: M OR F	
1						
ADDRESS:			CITY:		STATE: ZIP:	
PHONE:			E-MAIL:		BIRTHDATE: M OR F	
2						
ADDRESS:			CITY:		STATE: ZIP:	
PHONE:			E-MAIL:		BIRTHDATE: M OR F	

1. The Annual Virginia State USBC Youth Tournament is open to any certified USBC youth bowler within the jurisdiction of the Virginia State Alliance. Bowlers **MUST** bowl in a league that is certified through the State Alliance and averages must come from these leagues. Averages from outside the State Alliance will not be used. Bowlers must have **USBC Youth Membership** cards before entry into the tournament.
2. Tournament will consist of a 4 bowler team event (team), 2 bowler team event (doubles), an individual event (singles) and a bumper individual event (singles). Teams may consist of any combination of bowlers. A bowler may enter the Team event only, the Singles and Doubles event only or all three. Bowlers must bowl both the Singles and Doubles events to be able to bowl in either one. The bowler bowling in the bumper singles must be a bowler in a bumper league.
 - a. The first Team, Doubles and Singles event will go towards All-events.
 - b. **Scholarships** will be awarded on a basis of at least 1 for every 10 entries in the Team, Doubles and Singles and Bumper Singles. All-events at least 1 for every 10 entries will be given both in the optional handicap division and the optional scratch division. Scholarship money will be held in the **SMART Program** at bowling headquarters. The account number is **#9302**.
3. Averages will be taken as of **February 15, 2021** bowlers bowling in more than one league **MUST** use their highest average for 15 games or more. Bowlers who do not have an average as of this date may use their highest average as of **April 24, 2021** for 15 games or more, if none the bowler may use their **2020 Summer** average for 15 games or more. If none of the above then the bowler must bowl with a 200 average. Handicap will be based on an average of 230. Averages must be from a league certified in the **VSUSBC ASSOCIATION - YOUTH DIVISION. AVERAGES WILL BE ADJUSTED IF A BOWLER ONLY BOWLS IN A CHALLENGE OR SPORT SHOT LEAGUE.**
4. AN AVERAGE SHEET FOR ALL LEAGUES WITH FULL NAMES, TOTAL PINS, NUMBER OF GAMES AND AVERAGES MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH ENTRY FORM.
5. The bowler's coach (**coach only**) must sign the entry form certifying that the bowler is **USBC Youth Certified** and that the average on the entry form is correct.
6. Entry fees are \$25 per event (team, doubles, singles and bumper singles). There is a \$10 entry fee for the handicap and a \$10 entry fee for the scratch all-events and a \$10 entry fee for scratch singles. All entry fees must accompany the entry form. Fees not paid in full will be returned and the entry will be declared void. **MONEY ORDER OR CASHIER'S CHECK ONLY AND MADE OUT TO VSUSBC YOUTH STATE TOURNAMENT.** No entry fee will be returned after confirmation letter has been accepted. All entries must be completed with a full complement of names and addresses. Entries without such completion will be returned.
7. All bowlers will bowl three games in each of the following events: Team, Singles and Doubles. **A bowler may bowl only once in the Singles event.** A bowler may sub in the Team and Doubles event as many times as needed. Bowlers in the Bumper Singles will bowl 2 games. A bowler may bowl **only once** in the Bumper Singles event.
8. Bowlers may bowl all games in one day provided there is an open shift between the Team event and the Singles and Doubles event. If the tournament is held in one center this rule does not apply.
9. Singles will be bowled first followed by the doubles event. There will be **no break or changing of lanes** between the events.
10. ALL BOWLERS WILL WEAR PROPER ATTIRE: BOWLING SHIRTS MUST HAVE SLEEVES AND MUST GO OVER THE WAIST BAND OF YOUR SLACKS, SKIRT OR SHORTS SO AS TO PREVENT EXPOSURE OF THE MIDRIF. IF WEARING SHORTS OR SKIRTS THEY MUST REACH HALF WAY TO THE KNEE. WE ASK THAT THE BOWLING SHIRTS NOT TO BE LOW CUT- NO SHORT SHORTS. THE BOWLING CENTERS DO NOT ALLOW HATS OR HEADGEAR WORN BY BOWLERS DURING SQUAD TIMES. A committee of three coaches will be appointed by the house directors to determine if the bowler's outfit is acceptable. Bowlers may need to change or be disqualified pending their decision.
11. Handicaps will be computed based on 100% of the difference of the individual average and 230.

The tournament will be divided into 3 class divisions.

	CLASS 3	CLASS 2	CLASS 1
TEAM	519 & UNDER	520 - 679	680 & ABOVE
DOUBLES	259 & UNDER	260 - 339	340 & ABOVE
SINGLES	129 & UNDER	130 - 169	170 & ABOVE
BUMPER SINGLES	ALL AVERAGES		

12. **LATE BOWLERS WILL RECEIVE NO SCORES FOR FRAMES MISSED.** This applies during a game as well as in the beginning IF BOWLERS SHOW UP AT THE WRONG CENTER THEY MAY ASK TO BOWL ON A LATER SQUAD.
13. Teams and Doubles will bowl in the order listed on the original entry form. Substitutes will be permitted only in the same line-up position. Violators of this rule will be disqualified for that event. No changes will be made except by the tournament committee.
14. Substitutes must check into the tournament office at least 1 hour prior to the scheduled bowling time. Team captains check in at least 45 minutes before scheduled bowling time if there are no substitutes. Should the average of the substitute change the class division of an entry, the entry will be reclassified automatically.
15. Any appeal or protest regarding the tournament must be confirmed in writing within 72 hours after the decision is made. If no written protest is entered prior to the 72 hour period, the decision will stand.
16. Acceptance of entries **begin MARCH 1, 2021** and the **closing date** for all entries will be **APRIL 30, 2021.**
17. The tournament manager has the right to add squads to the tournament. No squads can be added after the last squad time posted on the last day of the tournament.
18. Members of the USBC youth division who conduct themselves in a manner not within the standards expected of youth bowlers while en route to, while in or enroute from the tournament city shall be suspended immediately. They shall be disqualified from further participation in the tournament and reported to USBC youth division for formal suspension.
19. **USBC rules will govern any situation not covered by these rules.**
20. Final standings will be posted on the **Virginia State** website: **www.vastateusbc.com** within 30 days.

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING RULES

1. THE TOURNAMENT IS AN **ALL SCHOLARSHIP** EVENT.
2. MAKE THE MONEY ORDER OR CASHIER'S CHECK OUT TO THE **VSUSBC YOUTH STATE TOURNAMENT**.
3. THE BOWLING CENTERS DO NOT ALLOW HATS OR HEADGEAR WORN BY BOWLERS DURING SQUAD TIMES.
4. PLEASE ADVISE THE BOWLERS OF THE DRESS CODE: ALL BOWLING SHIRTS MUST HAVE SLEEVES AND MUST MEET THE WAIST BAND OF THE BOWLER'S SHORTS, SKIRT OR SLACKS. IF WEARING SHORTS THEY MUST BE AT LEAST HALF WAY TO THE KNEE—NO SHORT SHORTS. WE ASK THAT THE BOWLING SHIRT NOT BE LOW CUT.
5. AVERAGES WILL BE TAKEN AS OF **FEBRUARY 15, 2021** BOWLERS BOWLING IN MORE THAN ONE LEAGUE **MUST** USE THEIR HIGHEST AVERAGE FOR 15 GAMES OR MORE. BOWLERS WHO DO NOT HAVE AN AVERAGE AS OF THIS DATE MAY USE THEIR HIGHEST AVERAGE AS OF **APRIL 24, 2021** FOR 15 GAMES OR MORE, IF NONE THE BOWLER MAY USE THEIR **2020 SUMMER** AVERAGE FOR 15 GAMES OR MORE. IF NONE OF THE ABOVE THEN THE BOWLER MUST BOWL WITH A 200 AVERAGE. HANDICAP WILL BE BASED ON AN AVERAGE OF 230. AVERAGES MUST BE FROM A LEAGUE CERTIFIED IN THE **VSUSBC ASSOCIATION - YOUTH DIVISION**. **AVERAGES WILL BE ADJUSTED IF A BOWLER ONLY BOWLS IN A CHALLENGE OR SPORT SHOT LEAGUE**.
6. ENTRY FEES WILL BE **25.00 PER PERSON PER EVENT** FOR TEAM, DOUBLES, SINGLES, AND BUMPER SINGLES. **\$10.00 PER PERSON FOR EACH OPTIONAL EVENT ENTERED**.
7. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU FILL OUT THE BOWLER INFO ON THE ENTRY FORM ESPECIALLY THE **BOWLER'S ID NUMBER AS ON THEIR SANCTION CARD**.
8. DO NOT SEND YOUR ENTRIES WHERE I MUST SIGN FOR THEM.
9. IF BOWLERS SHOW UP AT THE WRONG CENTER THEY MAY ASK TO BOWL ON A LATER SQUAD.
10. THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR HAS THE RIGHT TO ADD SQUADS TO THE TOURNAMENT. NO SQUADS CAN BE ADDED AFTER THE LAST SQUAD ON THE LAST DAY OF THE TOURNAMENT.
11. STANDINGS WILL BE POSTED AFTER EACH WEEK. FINAL STANDING WILL BE POSTED WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE TOURNAMENT ENDING. ON THE WEBSITE: **VIRGINIA STATE USBC** www.vastateusbc.com



HOTELS NEARBY

NEAR AMF HANOVER
HAMPTON INN RICHMOND
7433 BELL CREEK RD.
MECHANICSVILLE, VA 23111
(804) 559-0559

NEAR BOWL AMERICA EASTERN
DOUBLETREE RICHMOND AIRPORT
445 INTERNATIONAL CENTER DR.
SANDSTON, VA 23150
(804) 236-1111

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS RICHMOND
7441 BELL CREEK RD.
MECHANICSVILLE, VA 23111
(804) 559-0022

COURTYARD RICHMOND AIRPORT
5400 WILLIAMSBURG RD.
SANDSTON, VA 23150
(804) 652-0500

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