

SQUAD _____

15th ANNUAL

LANE _____

NO TAP TOURNAMENT

"Knock Down 9 Pins On The First Ball Equals A Strike"

This is a Certified USBC, Doubles and Singles Tournament Event - 100% Handicap

SUNDAY, January 14, 2018

Two Squads: First Squad Time 9:30 am / Second Squad Time 11:00 am
Tournament is Limited to the first 96 Teams.

HOST HARMONY BOWL

STATE HWY 35 N., MIDDLETOWN, NJ 07748 Tel# 732-671-2100

900 Series
Win \$ 35
See rules to qualify.

1st Place \$ 1000 per team

2nd Place \$ 600 per team

Prize Ratio: At Least 1 for 10 entries (1st & 2nd monies based on 48 Teams)

Entry Fees: Team : \$ 70.00 (Prize Fee \$ 41.00 + Bowling \$ 24.50, Expenses \$ 4.50)

Singles: \$ 15.00 (Prize Fee \$ 12.00 + Expenses \$ 3.00)

Please read Rules on reverse side *Carefully* before filling out entry form.

DOUBLES ENTRY FORM

<u>A</u> 2016-17 Highest Average	<u>B</u> Challenge League Y or N	<u>C</u> 21Games Summer 2017	<u>D</u> 21 Games Current 1/08/18	<u>E</u> Assigned 230	<u>A</u> 2016-17 Highest Average	<u>B</u> Challenge League Y or N	<u>C</u> 21Games Summer 2017	<u>D</u> 21Games Current 1/08/18	<u>E</u> Assigned 230
Name					Name				
Street					Street				
City/St/Zip					City/St/Zip				
USBC #					USBC #				
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Tel. #					Tel. #				

SINGLES ENTRY FORM

Singles:	YES	or	NO	Singles:	YES	or	NO
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INDICATE SQUAD CHOICE
SUNDAY JAN. 14

9:30 a.m.	
11:00 a.m.	

Hand this entry form with full payment (Cash or Check) to the front desk:

Attn: Ken Meyer - Checks made payable to: NoTap Tournament

Mail to: Ken Meyer, 4 Lauer Court, Middletown, NJ 07748

Phone: 732-948-4615 or 732-778-3444 E mail: NoTapTourney@Aol.com

Note: No Personal Checks accepted after JAN. 08, 2018. Cash or Money orders will be acceptable up to start of squad. Returned Checks will be charged a fee and if not paid in full prior to bowling, entry will be disqualified.

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE

Ken Meyer - Dir. 732-948-4615
Joe Emer - Mgr. 732-322-1677
Bob Meyer - Sec / Treasurer

DO NOT WRITE IN SPACE BELOW

	<u>ENTRY</u>	<u>CHK #</u>	<u>AMT. PAID</u>	<u>DATE</u>

TOURNAMENT RULES and REGULATIONS

All USBC rules are in effect unless specified

ELIGIBILITY:

1. This is a **Doubles Handicap Tournament** open to all USBC Certified bowlers with competition in both Doubles and Single.
2. All bowlers are required to be USBC Certified; USBC 2017 / 2018 Membership Cards must be shown at check-in.
3. Non-Members who reside in New Jersey must become eligible by paying \$22.00/23.00 fee for affiliated membership prior to bowling.
4. Walk-In: Cash only Entries will be accepted up to 10 minutes before squad time, and if Lanes are available.
5. PRIZES: All guarantees as listed on the front of tournament entry application will be paid as well as at least (1) prize for every (10) entries, based on 48 entries. All Prize Fees will be returned 100%.
6. There will be a separate prize list for Singles participation. At least (1) prize for every (10) entries paid.
7. Tournament is limited to the first 96 teams, Reservations can not be guaranteed until full entry fee is paid.
8. Multiple Reentries are permitted, but a bowler can only Cash one time with the same partner in **Doubles**, and Cash only once in **Singles**.
9. USBC Youth members are not eligible for this tournament.

AVERAGES:

10. Bowlers entering average will be the **HIGHEST Certified** USBC average, based on 21 games or more in the following sequence:
 - (A) Winter Season (2016 - 2017)
 - (B) Summer Season (2017)
 - (C) Current Season (2017 - 2018) as of **JANUARY 7, 2018**
 - (D) A bowler lacking all of the aforementioned averages must use a **230 Average**. (USBC Rule 319b)
11. Challenge or Sport Condition or anything other than Standard bowling, Averages will be adjusted to Scale (USBC Rule 202)
12. Current Season Certified League averages, the Last week standing sheet must be submitted at check-in for verification along with written verification from league secretary.
13. Current Season Certified League average will be used if (A) and (B) above do not apply. Effective date for using Current Season Average is **JANUARY 7, 2018**, along with written verification (LEAGUE STANDING SHEET) from league secretary at check-in.
14. No Certified League Average, bowler will use an average of 230 for handicap purposes. Also see Rule # 3 above.
15. It shall be the bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of His or Her average, whether originally submitted by bowler, or others. Failure to use the proper average, or make a correction at the time of bowling, may disqualify any score. USBC Rule 319a-3 will apply.
16. All averages will be checked and verified by Tournament Committee.
17. Tournament Director has the right to adjust scores after bowling should average or other pertinent information that becomes available that was not available at time of check-in. USBC Rule 319e applies to all.

HANDICAP: Doubles: The 10 Pin Rule USBC 319a-2 and Reporting prize winnings USBC 319d are waived.

18. Handicap: 100% of the difference in Team entering average of 460. **Max Doubles / Team Handicap is 540.**
19. Teams with averages over 460 can still bowl but, will receive 100% negative handicap per game.
20. Handicap is on team basis and all decimal points will be dropped.

HANDICAP: Singles: The 10 Pin Rule USBC 319a-2 and Reporting prize winnings USBC 319d are waived.
The Singles tournament is a optional tournament within the Doubles tournament.

21. Handicap: 100% of the difference in entering average of 230. **Max Singles Handicap is 270.**
22. Bowlers with averages over 230 can still bowl but, will receive 100% negative handicap per game.

TOURNAMENT PLAY:

23. All Bowlers must check in together and have all necessary information 30 minutes before schedule squad time.
24. All games will be bowled on the same pair of lanes.
25. No-Tap means that you receive a strike when you knock down nine (9) pins with your first ball. All other scoring is regulation.
26. A bowler or bowlers arriving late will be allowed to bowl, however scoring will start with the frame in which they are ready to bowl.
27. Substitutions prior to bowling will be allowed, and must be reported to the Tournament Director at least one hour prior to bowling.
28. Substitutes can not enter a game already in progress, unless bowling bowler is injured.
29. All claims for an error in scoring must be made to a Tournament official immediately. No changes if the next bowler bowls.
30. If an automatic pinsetter has a breakdown, the Tournament Director has the right to move bowlers to other lanes if available or take whatever steps necessary to continue play. In the case of irretrievable score loss, that game (not set) must be rebowled. USBC Rule 327
31. Premature termination of the Tournament brought on by emergencies relating to Fire, Water, Electrical, or any other reasons beyond the control of Harmony Bowl, shall cause the foregoing prize list to be prorated in accordance to the number of entrants who have bowled in the tournament at the time of termination. Games not bowled or completed will not count and entry fees will be returned.
32. Entry will be disqualified if Checks are returned from Bank for any non-payment reason.
33. Squad times are based on a first come first served, and Line-ups will stay as submitted on entry form. Exception: Substitutes.
34. All prize fees returned 100% - Prize money will be paid within one week after tournaments ends and averages verified.
35. The decision of the Tournament Director shall be final unless an Appeal is made in accordance with USBC Rule 329.
36. **BRACKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE** — Run by Tournament Director — Behind Lanes 11-12

900 SERIES:

37. Open to all participants, with No Entry fee required. If more than one winner, money will be split accordingly.