

# Indiana State Pepsi Championship

Brought to you by: Indiana State USBC Association

Held at: Plaza Lanes, 1643 Eastway Drive, Crawfordsville, IN 47933

*Entry Fee:* U-8 & U-10 – \$25.00 or U-12, U-15, U-17 & U-20 – \$38.00 U-8 & U-10 Bowl 3 Games – U-12, U-15, U-17 & U-20 Bowl 6 Games

Reminder - \$25 Late Fee applies if paid after March 23, 2019

### Bowler Information (Please Complete all Fields)

Bowlers Name	
USBC Certification #	Last 4 Numbers of Social Security #
Date of Birth	
	- Female - Male
Address	
City, State, and Zip	
Area Code with Home Phone Number	Area Code with Cell Phone Number (parent's if bowler is under 18)
Email Address (parent's if bowler is under 18)	I

DIVISION		I		OFFICE USE ONLY	
U-8	FEMALE	MALE	USBC	ENTRY #	
U-10			INDIANA STATE	PAID	Y or N
U-12				CHECK #	
U-15				CASH PAID	
U-17			SQUAD TIMES:	DATE PAID	
U-20			April 13 & 14 – 10:00 am & 1:30 pm May 4 & 5 – 10:30 am & 1:30 pm	TIME REC.	

Make checks payable to and send entries to:

Indiana State USBC Pepsi Tournament, 1250 S Jackson Street, Greencastle, IN 46135



#### YOUTH BOWLER AGREEMENT:

This is to certify that I have read, fully understand and agree to abide by the Eligibility Requirements and Rules established for the 2019 Pepsi Youth Bowling Championships and hereby make application for entry into said tournament. I further certify that I have not bowled, substituted and paced in any league or tournament where money contributed, shall not be considered to be in violation of the USBC Eligibility Rule.

Signature	Date:
Printed Name	

#### PARENTAL CONSENT AGREEMENT:

I certify that I have read the Pepsi Youth Bowling Championships rules and hereby grant my permission for my son/daughter/ward, etc. to compete on all levels of this event. I further understand that a Parent, Guardian, or Coach must accompany the youth bowler to the National Event in **Michigan** at your own expense. In consideration of the ISUSBCYA contribution of the Pepsi Cola from any and liability for injury or accident involving entrant as an entrant's participation therein.

Signature

\_\_\_\_Date:

STATE FINALS are bowled in Plaza Lanes, 1643 Eastway Drive, Crawfordsville, IN 47933.

Complete entry forms and make entry fees payable to ISUSBC. Entries must be postmarked no later than **March 23**, 2019.

# Confirmation of entry received and dates(s) bowling will be emailed to your coach or youth director.

**Questions?** 

Please call/email Tiffany Friars, Pepsi Director 765-720-3576 or tiffany.friars@indianastateusbc.org

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## INDIANA PEPSI STATE CHAMPIONSHIP RULES AND FORMAT

1. This tournament is certified by each state/zone and shall be governed by USBC rules.

2. Dates of league level qualifying (if this is the next level of advancement) are October 1, 2018 to February 28, 2019. Advancement from league is a one-time entry. If an individual who qualified cannot participate in the state/zone competition, his/her replacement will be eligible based on the order of finish in previous competition.

3. Advancement ratio from state competition is at least 1 of every 5 entries per division, or major fraction thereof, including last-place ties. The base number each division is that participated in that division. In all cases, at least one person per division shall advance. The advancement ration shall be applied uniformly to all eligible division.

4. Advancers out of the league level must remain in the division they qualified in during all subsequent levels. If a bowler advances out of the league level in more than one state/zone, the bowler must declare one state/zone to continue competing in before the next competition level. Participation in any level of competition past the league level in more than one state/zone will result in automatic disqualification.

5. Competition will take place at Plaza Lanes (765-362-5633) in Crawfordsville, Indiana, on April 13th, 14th, or May 4th and 5th, 2019, at 10 am or 1:30 pm on each date.

6. Entry closing date is March 23, 2019. Tournament entry form containing qualifier's name, address, telephone number, and social security number must be submitted to the Tournament Director by this date. If entries are postmarked after this date then there will be a \$25 late fee assessed.

7. Divisions are based on the participant's age. Athletes must compete in their proper age division in all levels of competition. Athletes must be Junior Gold Members or be eligible and buy membership prior to advancement to the Junior Gold Championships. Competition shall be conducted in the following divisions: U8, U10, U12, U15, U17 and U20.

8. The tournament format shall be: Divisions U8 & U10 will bowl 3 games, Divisions U12, U15, U17 & U20 will bowl 6 games. Total scratch pin fall will determine the winner for each division.

9. Entry fee is:

<u>U8 and</u>	<u>U10</u>	<u>U12, U15, U17</u>	<u>U12, U15, U17 and U20</u>		
Lineage:	\$8.25	Lineage:	\$16.50		
Expenses:	\$6.75	Expenses:	\$9.50		
Scholarships:	\$ <u>10.00</u>	Scholarships:	\$ <u>12.00</u>		
TOTAL:	\$25.00	TOTAL:	\$38.00		

Awards and scholarship fees shall be returned 100% to the bowlers. Scholarships will be held in SMART Account Number: 8520

(\*USBC Rules 301d and 309 state that all scholarships awarded during a USBC event must be deposited in the SMART Program.)

10. All bowlers must wear suitable attire. Dress pants with a collared shirt are suggested but not required. No shorts, leggings, stretch pants, tight pants or pants with holes. No hats/caps allowed. No smoking by guests or athletes on the concourse or in the settee area, only in designated areas. No electronic devices in the settee area.

11. No substitutes will be permitted once athletes have started tournament play. However, replacements may be used for bowler not present 30 minutes prior to the quad time stated in Rule 2. Replacements must be based on the order of finish from the prior level of competition. (IE the same window, same league and same center as the "no-show" bowler if replacement is from the league level. They must follow the order of advancement within that window/league.)

12. Competitors shall be allowed 10 minutes of practice time on their starting pair.

13. If no replacement has been made, bowlers arriving late shall begin place and the score shall count beginning with the frame then being bowled. Missed frames shall be credited with a zero. Frames missed may not be made up. A bowler not present to bowl when it is their turn will be credited with a zero for that frame.

14. Only bowlers and tournament officials shall be permitted in the settee area.

15. Ties will be broken by a one game roll-off. Should a tie still exist, it will be broken by an additional ninth and 10<sup>th</sup> frame roll-off. (Refer to Rule 326a).

16. Claims for errors in scoring or general playing rules must be made to the Tournament Director no later than the start of the next block or 30 minutes after the completion. Questionable errors shall be decided upon by the Tournament Director. All other protests must be confirmed in writing to the Tournament Director within 72 hours of the infraction. Under the rule, each protest must be specific in itself.

17. Scholarships will be awarded as follows 1 in 5.

18. The first-place winners of the U12, U15, U17 and U20 divisions for both Girls and Boys will advance to the 2019 Junior Gold Championships on July 13-20, 2019 in Detroit, MI. They must be USBC Junior Gold members to advance to the Junior Gold Championships. Bowlers without a current Junior Gold membership must purchase a Junior Gold membership prior to June 8, 2019. USBC will waive the \$200 (U20 & U17), \$150 (U15), and \$100 (U12) entry fee for these athletes. These athletes will compete for additional scholarships available to all athletes at the Junior Gold Championships, as well as other prizes and awards. All U.S, citizens are vying for a spot in the USBC Junior Team USA 2018 to represent the United States in nation and international competition. If the U12, U15 and U20 Division Champions are unwilling to become a Junior Gold member, they will not advance to the Junior Gold Championships. However, the athlete will still retain the state/zone scholarship, but the berth to the Junior Gold Championships will be awarded to the next eligible athlete.

Eligible advancers must agree to bowl in the Junior Gold Championships, or, failing to do so, agree to waive all rights. Replacements will be selected based on the order of finish in their division at the state/zone level. Replacements will incur all costs associated with changing the airline ticket, if applicable. If the eligible advancer earned at the state/zone level will be retained.

All matter not covered by these rules and regulations shall be determined by the State/Zone Pepsi Youth Championships Tournament Committee. The National Pepsi USBC Youth Championships Tournament committee reserves the right to accept or reject any participant.

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