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February 2021

Hall of Fame Ballot Deadline--March 8, 2021

Hall of Fame Ballots have been sent (one each) to the Local Association Managers, Hall of Fame Members who have a current address on file with the ISUSBC Office, and one to the current Indiana State USBC Board of



Directors. Instructions have been provided with the mailings.

Please be sure to return your ballot with no more than six (6) votes marked by March 8. The <u>Hall of Fame</u>

Nominees' Resumes are online at<u>IndianaStateUSBC.org</u>.

If you have questions, contact Association Manager<u>Brian Nunning</u>, 812-629-0352 or Hall of Fame Chair<u>Lynda Isaacs</u>, 765-994-5124.

Indiana State Annual Meeting

The Indiana State USBC Annual Meeting and Hall of Fame Ceremony are scheduled for June 26-27, 2021, at the Crowne Plaza-Indianapolis Airport, 2501 S High School Road, Indianapolis. Additional details will be provided later.

NEW LOCATION!

The Annual IS USBC Scholarship Golf Scramble Fundraiser will be held on Saturday, June 26, at Saddlebrook Golf Club, 5516 Arabian Run, Indianapolis(317-559-5928). Entry Fee of \$260 (\$65 per person) includes Green Fee, Cart, Range Balls, Lunch, and Prizes. Contact Jon Kelley (765-437-6185) or Paul



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Sutton (765-561-0090) for more information. You can also sponsor a hole for \$50 per hole. **Entry Fee and Hole Sponsor Forms** with the detailed information are on the state website under the "Annual Meeting" tab.

Annual Meeting Credentials will be mailed to local associations and per the IS USBC Bylaws, **MUST be** returned by March 27, 2021.

If you have questions, contact Association Manager Brian Nunning, 812-629-0352.

Indiana State Scholarship—Deadline March 31

Association and Youth Leaders:

Please be sure to make your High School Senior Bowlers aware of the <u>State Scholarship</u> Deadline of March 31. With Covid restrictions and outbreaks, no one knows when school may not be in session or accessible to get the critical information necessary to submit the application.

If you have questions, contact Association Manager<u>Brian Nunning</u>, 812-629-0352 or Scholarship Chair <u>Dee Johnson</u>, 765-453-6193.

New this year at State Tournaments...

We have coded the tablecloth colors to direct everyone to the designated tables. All tournaments will have uniform colored



tablecloths for ease from tournament to tournament.

- · Red tablecloths are the Check-In tables
- Grey tablecloths are designated for Tournament Manager/Staff
- Blue tablecloths are the Bracket tables
- Yellow tablecloths are the merchandise table
- . Black tablecloths are the candy sales table

2021 Indiana State Masters Championship

The 2021 Indiana State Masters Champion is Kevin McCune of the Gr Calumet Area USBC, who defeated runner-up Matt Sanders from Evansville USBC. Kevin is

• USBC Aid Program







State Contacts

Officers

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DD1--<u>Charlie Wilkey</u> Mixed Tournament Asst Mgr (317) 946-4891

DD2--<u>Jerry Grochowski</u> Tech Team Mgr (219) 742-6192

DD3--**Chris Adams** (574) 338-0513

DD4--Kim Davis (260) 693-6161

DD5--**Jenni Ferguson** (765) 635-0723



from Munster, Indiana, and at his age of 22 years, great bowling is certainly expected in future years. Click here for detailed information.

The 2021-2022 Masters is planned for January 28-30, 2022, at

Championship Lanes, Anderson.

INDIANA STATE TOURNAMENTS

All Adult Tournaments' Participants—

In order to comply with the Indiana and local health departments' COVID-19 Restrictions, the following guidelines will be observed, unless notified otherwise.

- · Masks must be worn
- You may take your mask down when you are physically bowling or actively drinking or eating, otherwise masks should be worn at all times.
- · No spectators or guests will be allowed.
- To help with allowed capacity requirements, we request that bowlers arrive no earlier than one hour prior to start time
- Team Captains or designated representatives will record the scores for the team and turn in scores to the Tournament Office upon completion of bowling.

Guidelines and restrictions are subject to change.

27th Annual Indiana State Queens Tournament

- <u>* LiL</u>
- Championship Lanes
- 1920 East 53rd Street
 Anderson, Indiana
- Championship Lanes
 Anderson
- March 13, 2021
- Fillable 2021 Entry Form—Complete then print
- 2021 Entry Form-Print form then complete
- PAY FEES ONLINE HERE
- Manager: <u>Jeff Circle</u>, 317-440-7562

<u>Indiana State USBC Open Championship</u> **Tournament**

Indy USBC – Local Host

DD6--Dee Johnson

Webmaster (765) 453-6193

DD7--Dale Bennington

(765) 721-0354

DD8--Mary Utley

Women's Tournament Asst Mgr (812) 453-1181

DD9--Mike McPherson

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Youth Directors (YD)

YD--Zachary Ferree

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YD--Tiffany Friars

(765) 720-3576

YD--Corky Koch

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YD--Mikayla Schram

(260) 212-3085



Brian Nunning, Association Mgr (812) 629-0352

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• All Events at One Center-Western Bowl



- 6441 W Washington Street Indianapolis
- February 13 May 2, 2021
- 2021 Open Reservations
- <u>Fillable Entry Form-Web Base Entry Form</u>
 <u>Remit with PayPal</u>
- Fillable Entry Form-Complete form then print
- Entry Form—Print form then complete
- Manager: <u>Charlie Wilkey</u>, 317-946-4891

As stated in a previously sent email, in order to comply with the COVID-19 restrictions in Marion County, the Health Department has required the following actions at Western Bowl and will remain in effect during our 2021 IS USBC Open Championship unless notified otherwise.

- Masks must be worn at Western Bowl.
 - You may take your mask down when you are physically bowling or actively drinking or eating, otherwise masks should be worn at all times.
- Per Health Department, Western is allowed to be open at 25% capacity. This results in a max of 270 bowlers at a time.
 - Consequently, No spectators or guests will be allowed.
 - To help with allowed capacity requirements, Individuals bowling on the Sunday 1:30 PM squad should not arrive at Western Bowl before 12:15 PM.
- In meeting the Health Departments Social
 Distancing restrictions, the team event will have
 two teams on a pair and skip a pair between the
 next pair of teams bowling.
 - Singles and Doubles, will have 6 bowlers on a pair and will not require skipping pairs.
- Team Captains or designated representatives will record the scores for the team and turn in scores to the Tournament Office upon completion of bowling.

IS USBC Open Championship - New Host Hotel Information

<u>TownPlace Suites</u>, Indianapolis Airport located at 8850 Hatfield Dr., Indianapolis IN 46241

For room reservations, please contact Marriott (317) 268-1150. Indicate you are with the 2021 IS USBC Open Championship Tournament to obtain a special rate

Youth Tournament Mgr--Brian Petrey

317-498-3698

Mixed Trny Mgr--Angie.Kendall 260-503-4263

Scratch Tournaments Mgr--

Jeff Circle

317-440-7562

Indiana Scratch Classic Indiana Masters Indiana State Queens

Senior Trny Mgr Tony Peterson 765-430-9176



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Indiana State USBC

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Scholarship Information

State Hall of Fame Members





Indiana State USBC Youth Championships

Indiana State Youth Bowlers, Parent/Guardian, and Coaches—

The Indiana State USBC continues to monitor the status of state and local COVID restrictions and it is working closely with Mike Aulby's Arrowhead Bowl management.

As a result of current and anticipated restrictions, the Indiana State USBC is announcing a few changes to this year's *Youth Open Championship*, *Youth Masters and Queens*, and *Adult Youth Championships*. The changes are as follows:

Indiana State Youth Open Championship:

The tournament will still run for 8 weeks starting on February 26-28 and ending April 24-25, taking the weekend of April 3-4 off for the Easter weekend. Squad times are being adjusted to:

- Fridays 7:00 pm (limited lanes) New Squads
- Saturday 8:30am, 1:00pm, 5:30pm New Times & New 3rd Squad
- Sunday 8:30am, 1:00pm
- Coaches/Centers may have to adjust their reservations due to a few squads currently being overbooked.

Indiana State USBC Youth Masters and Queens:

- The qualifying squads during the tournament weekends will be postponed/cancelled.
- The event will take on a modified format and is scheduled during the weekend of May 1-2 at Mike Aulby's Arrowhead Bowl.
- Applications will be added to the website soon and available during the youth open championship.

Indiana State USBC Adult Youth Championship:

 The 8-weekend event will be postponed/cancelled for the 2021 tournament season. If the event is rescheduled, details will be posted and applications will be made available as soon as possible.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we continue to monitor the COVID restrictions and provide adjustments as needed throughout this year's events. The Indiana State USBC will continue working to do what is best for all of the youth bowlers in the state of Indiana.

Thank you for your understanding and patience! We will continue to announce any required (if any) adjustments as soon as possible and look forward to seeing you all soon.

Indiana State Youth Championships

Letter of Explanation regarding the youth tournaments' changes and COVID

Indiana State Youth Open Championships

- Lafayette USBC -- Local Host
- All Events at One Center—Mike Aulby's Arrowhead Bowl • 2331 Brothers Drive • Lafayette
- February 26 April 25, 2021
- 2021 Youth Reservations Lafayette Lodging
- Fillable Entry Form
- Manager: **Brian Petrey**, 317-498-3698

Indiana State Youth Masters & Queens Finals

- Mike Aulby's Arrowhead Bowl
- May 1 − 2, 2021
- Register Online
- Entry Rules
- Manager: <u>Brian Petrey</u>, 317-498-3698

Indiana Kentucky All Stars

June 12, 2021 hosted by Kentucky USBC

Jr Gold Qualifier, Indiana State Annual Meeting Weekend

Tentative date: June 26, 2021

Indiana State Women's Championships

Tournament Motels--We are still working with the local Visitor's Bureau and motels trying to get the best rate possible for our tournament bowlers. Currently, the



rates being offered are from \$99 - \$129. As soon as they are finalized, they will be posted on the State website.

Muncie USBC - Host Association



Team Event:

- · Clancy's Village Bowl
- 4805 Wheeling Avenue, Muncie



Doubles/Singles Events:

- Munsee Lanes
- 601 East 26th Street, Muncie

Dates:

- April 10-11, 2021
- April 17-18, 2021
- April 23 (Friday, team squad only), 24-25, 2021
- May 1-2, 2021

<u>Fillable Entry Form</u> (complete, print, mail) <u>Entry Form</u> (print, complete, mail)

Manager Lynda Isaacs, 765-994-5124

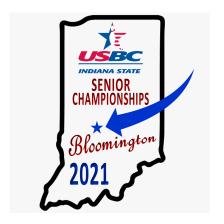




Each bowler will receive a ticket at check-in for a chance to win a \$500 VISA card at the end of the tournament!!

There will also be give-a-ways during each shift of the tournament to one lucky bowler.

Come join the fun at the Women's State Championship Tournament!!



48TH ANNUAL INDIANA STATE SENIORS CHAMPIONSHIPS

- Bloomington USBC Local Host
- Classic Lanes 1421 North Willis Drive Bloomington, Indiana
- March 27 April 25, 2021 (check entry form for exact dates)
- 2021 Senior Reservations
- Fillable Entry Form—Complete and print two copies.
- Entry Form—Print then complete and mail with fees—
- Will not bowl Easter, April 3-4, 2021
- Manager: Tony Peterson, 865-430-9176



Indiana State USBC Youth Pepsi Championships

- Crawfordsville USBC Local Host
- Plaza Lanes 643 Eastway Drive Crawfordsville, Indiana
- April 17-18 and April 24-25, 2021
- Fillable Tournament Entry Form
- Tournament Entry Form
- Manager: Tiffany Friars, 765-720-3576



USBC Athlete Safety Portal Access

Have you visited the Athlete Safety portal on BOWL.com?

The Registered Volunteer Program now has a home on your MY USBC profile! To access this, simply log in using your BOWL.com community login, select MY USBC, then Athlete Safety!



Here, you will find the status of your membership, SafeSport training and NCSI background check expiration.

It is encouraged that all board members and coaches check this portal today to make sure you are up-to-date on your training and background screenings.



USBC Association Aid Program (announced 12/16/2020)

The United States Bowling Congress announced a \$3.5 million aid program to help support grassroots bowling. The move comes as a response to the unprecedented losses experienced in the sport nationwide due to COVID-19 shutdowns.

As part of the program, the USBC Board of Directors has approved an immediate cash transfer of \$1.5 million from USBC's reserve fund directly to USBC local associations. Funds for locals have already begun being deposited.

An additional \$200,000 will be available for USBC state associations in the form of added prize money to their 2021 championship tournaments. An email to state associations went out recently with activation steps.

For the full press release, click <u>here</u>.

For the FAQ's about the program, click <u>here</u>.

Find Out More









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