



The 2023 INDIANA MASTERS Bowling Championship

**FIRST
PLACE \$2000.**



USBC Certified

BASED ON 250 ENTRIES

INCLUDING A *PAID ENTRY TO THE 2024 USBC MASTERS TOURNAMENT (See Rule 17)
AND A PAID ENTRY TO THE 2024 INDIANA MASTERS AS THE DEFENDING CHAMPION

Entry Fee: \$95.00 per person*

*Entries received Before January 20th will receive a \$15.00 Discount (\$80.00)

9:30 AM SQUAD BONUS:

The top 4 Bowlers from 9:30 AM will be guaranteed at least 48th place.
With the top 2 being seeded at least 16th.

New Friday Event - Doubles
with Optional Singles
Squad starts at 7:00pm

Sat. Feb. 4th - QUALIFYING
9:30am - 1pm - 4:30 - 8:30pm

Sun. Feb. 5th - FINALS
Semi Finals - 9:30am
Finals - 11am

Tournament Host
Championship Lanes

1920 E. 53rd Street
Anderson, IN 46013
Phone 765-642-4961

2023 INDIANA MASTERS

FEBRUARY 3 - 4 - 5, 2023

ENTER EARLY - GET \$15. DISCOUNT

SATURDAY - QUALIFYING - 9:30 - 1 - 4:30 - 8:30

SUNDAY - SEMI FINALS - 9:30 AM

FINALS - 11:00 AM

ENTRY FEE \$95.00*

PRIZE FEE \$56.00
BOWLING FEE \$13.00
EXPENSE FEE \$11.00

* EARLY ENTRY DISCOUNT \$15.00 *

*** FIRST ENTRY RECEIVED AFTER JAN 14th
NOT ELIGIBLE FOR \$15.00 DISCOUNT**

RE-ENTRIES RECEIVE \$15.00 DISCOUNT

**ALL PRIZE FEES RETURNED
100% IN PRIZES**

Doubles Event - Friday 7pm

\$1000 First with 50+ Dbls Teams
Entry Fee \$120 per team
Bowl 3 Games Each for Standings
Prize Fee 85. Lineage & Exp. 35
Pays at least 1 in 5

Optional Singles Event

\$300 First with 50+ Sgls Entries
Optional Singles \$20.
Prize Fee \$20. 100% Prize Fee
Pays at least 1 in 5

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| Current USBC No. | 2021-22 USBC Ave. | |
| Name | | |
| Address | | |
| City | State | Zip |
| Phone Number | | |
| Best Time To Call | | |
| Soc. Sec. Number | | |
| E-Mail Address | | |

**Tournament Lanes
Oiled Before
Each Squad**

Check box to enter event

QUALIFY SAT 9:30 AM \$95

QUALIFY SAT 1:00 PM \$95

QUALIFY SAT 4:30 PM \$95

QUALIFY SAT 8:30 PM \$95

EARLY ENTRY RE-ENTRY DISCOUNT \$15

SW

TOTAL

RE-ENTRY \$80.

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\$10. Fee for Refunds on Paid Entries

Money Orders or Cashier Checks must accompany all early entries. NO PERSONAL CHECKS.

Make checks payable to INDIANA MASTERS. Cash only accepted on day of tournament.

If chosen squad is full you will be contacted at above telephone number, for alternate squad.

It is the bowler's responsibility to maintain a current telephone number with the Tournament Manager.

Send Masters Entries to: **INDIANA MASTERS TOURNAMENT**

C/O Jeff Circle - Tournament Manager

465 Buck Creek Road - Indianapolis, IN 46229-3256

Friday Doubles Event - Feb. 3rd at 7:00pm

First Place **\$1000**
Based on 50+ Teams

Entry Fee \$120. per Team

Bowl 3 games each - 6 game total for Standings

At least 1 in 5 Cash - Minimum Cash \$200.

6 Game Total Score Wins - 66 Teams Maximum

Optional Singles Event - \$20. Entry Must be Entered in Doubles

First Place **\$300**
Based on 50+ Singles

Use your 3 games in Doubles for Standings

At least 1 in 5 Cash - Minimum Cash \$40.

Doubles Entry \$120. per Team - Optional Singles \$20 per person

Bowler 1 Phone

Address City, State Zip Code

Soc.Sec. Number E-Mail Address

Bowler 2 Phone

Address City, State Zip Code

Soc.Sec. Number E-Mail Address

Doubles Entry \$120. Singles Bowler 1 \$20. Singles Bowler 2 \$20. Total

Mail Entries to Indiana Masters Attn:Jeff Circle 465 Buck Creek Rd. Indianapolis, IN. 46229 317-440-7562

PAST INDIANA MASTERS CHAMPIONS 2022 - TJ Schmidt

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| 2021 - Kevin McCune - Munster | 2014 - John Verbich III, Griffith | 2007 - Jerry Krupa, Richmond |
| 2020 - Zach Weidman - Indianapolis | 2013 - Jason Beck, West Lafayette | 2006 - Brian Walker, Indianapolis |
| 2019 - Jean Perez, Greenwood | 2012 - Mark Sullivan, Indianapolis | 2005 - Steve Harman, Indianapolis |
| 2018 - Ryan Burchfield, Indianapolis | 2011 - Kevin Mikalouski, Hebron | 2004 - Aaron McCormick, Lafayette |
| 2017 - T J Schmidt, Osceola | 2010 - Greg Smith, Fort Wayne | 2003 - Steve Hartman, Lafayette |
| 2016 - Brian Cave, Fort Wayne | 2009 - Jamie Beeson, Muncie | 2002 - Mike Kubacki, Griffith |
| 2015 - Mike Lisch, Zionsville | 2008 - Randy Robertson, Evansville | 2001 - Steve Ireland, Selma |

TOURNAMENT RULES

- ELIGIBILITY:** Each participant must have a current USBC membership in, and actually compete in; an USBC certified Indiana Local Association. **Non-Indiana residents shall be required to have a validated average of 21 games or more in an Indiana USBC certified league.**
Each participant is Eligible to compete as many times in the Indiana Masters tournament as openings are available. Youth Members are not eligible to participate in this tournament.
- The MASTERS Tournament will be conducted on a "SPORT BOWLING" lane condition.
- Walk-in entries on Saturday will be permitted until 20 minutes prior to the start of the final squad. If the squad is not full. Entries cannot be transferred to another bowler. Management may refuse an entry.
- No more than five (5) bowlers per pair of lanes during qualifying. Maximum 6 bowlers per pair during doubles.
- A DRESS CODE** will be enforced during the **TOURNAMENT** Each participant will be required to wear **DRESS SLACKS** (no denim jeans, sweats or shorts) and a **SHIRT** with a **COLLAR**.
No t-shirts allowed. Mock Turtle neck shirts will be allowed only if they have a bowling logo and meet PBA guidelines. **No headgear or hats.** Ladies may wear Slacks, Skirt or Capris that meet PWBA Guidelines. Those individuals not complying with the Dress Code will not be permitted to bowl.
- Each participant will bowl three (3) games across six (6) lanes. Each participant will be permitted ten (10) minutes of practice on each of their starting lanes **ONLY**. No more than 3 re-racks, per game will be permitted per participant unless authorized by a designated tournament official.
- Sunday Semi Finals and Finals will be determined by Entries during qualifying.**
If there are 300 or more entries then the TOP 48 and ties will advance to Sunday. Places 1 thru 16 (and ties) will be seeded into the Top 32 Match Play Finals. Places 17 thru 48 will bowl 2 games and use the combined 5 game total (Qualifying and Semi Finals) to determine the balance and seeding into the TOP 32 Match Play. If after 5 games a tie exists for 32nd place there will be a 1 game roll-off. If still tied 9th and 10th frame used.
If there are less than 300 entries the TOP 32 will go directly to Match Play.
Match Play will use the single game, double elimination format to determine the Champion.
- A Finalist missing Roll Call for the Finals will be replaced with an Alternate.
Bowlers arriving late for any squad will be given a **ZERO for each frame missed.**
- All participants are requested to be at the host center 45 minutes prior to the start of their scheduled squad.
Management reserves the right to fill any vacancy 20 minutes prior to the start of a squad with walk-in bowlers or refuse any entry. All participants are subject to USBC rule 322a (a zero count for frames missed).
- In the event of a breakdown or delay, the Tournament Manager will make a decision regarding the continuation of the game/games.
- Unsportsmanlike or abusive behavior, or abuse of equipment will not be tolerated. Individuals may be removed from competition and will forfeit all fees paid for that squad.
- All decisions of the Tournament Manager are final, pending any appeal to USBC.
- Regular entries close at midnight January 20th, 2023. Full payment of entry must be received prior to the deadline to receive discount of \$15.00. **REFUNDS of a paid entry will be charged a \$10. Fee**
- PRIZE FEES:** Prize fees will be returned 100%, paid at least 1 in 5 ratio.
- Money order or cashiers check must accompany all early entries, **NO PERSONAL CHECKS**
Make cashier checks and money orders payable to: **THE INDIANA MASTERS**
Cash Only will be accepted for walk-in entries on the day of qualifying competition.
- After PRACTICE for the current squad, NO surface adjustments or cleaners may be used. Dry Towels only.
- *USBC National Masters Entry and \$500. expense money will be reimbursed after participating in the National Tournament. Entry has no cash value and is not transferable.

Mail Entry to: **Jeff Circle - Tournament Manager**
465 Buck Creek Road - Indianapolis, IN 46229
Phone 317-440-7562 E-mail - jeff.circle@indianastateusbc.org

MASTERS ENTRIES MUST BE SENT TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS