



GFUSBCA



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Greater Fredericksburg United States Bowling Congress Association Newsletter

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Important Announcements

New Board of Directors to be Elected

During the annual meeting will be held on **May 14** the following board members will be elected to office:

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|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| ◆ 1st Vice President | 3rd Vice President |
| ◆ Director #1 | Director #3 |
| ◆ Director #5 | |

Upcoming Local Tournaments and Events

- ◆ **May 14, 2016 @ 11:00 am GFUSBCA Annual Meeting, Liberty Center Upstairs Meeting room**
- ◆ **Second Sunday of the Month, Liberty Doubles Shootout Handicap Tournament, 10:00am Liberty Center**
- ◆ **Last Sunday of the Month, TNT Dynamite Handicap Doubles 9:00am AMF Fredericksburg**
- ◆ **Last Sunday of the Month, Heard Scratch Sport Tournament, 2:00 pm AMF Fredericksburg**
- ◆ **Hall of Fame entry submission deadline, June 1, 2016**

Check GFUSBCA Web Site <http://gfusbc.org/events/events.aspx> for more events

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NOTICE OF GFUSBCA ANNUAL MEETING

NEW DATE AND TIME

The Greater Fredericksburg USBC Association will hold its Annual Membership Meeting to discuss association business, any proposals to change association bylaws, elect officers and directors who will lead the association, and elect delegates to the 2017 USBC Convention as well as the Virginia State Bowling Association Annual Meeting.



Meeting Location: Liberty Center (Upstairs Meeting Room)
5801 Southpoint Centre
Fredericksburg, VA 22407
~ (540) 710-7467 ~

Meeting Date: **Saturday, May 14, 2016**

Meeting Time: **11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Meeting Registration: **Begins at 10:00 a.m.**

This meeting is open to all members of the Greater Fredericksburg USBC Association. You must present your local association (GFUSBCA) membership card to be admitted to the meeting. Only those ages 14 or older may vote.

Direction to Liberty Lanes:

From Dale City...

Follow I-95 S to US-1 S/US-17 S in Battlefield. Take exit 126 from I-95 S. Take ramp to RTE 1 South. Follow US-1 S/US-17 S and Southpoint Pkwy to Southpoint Centre Blvd in Lee Hill. Use the left 2 lanes to turn left onto Southpoint Pkwy. Turn right onto Southpoint Centre Blvd. Liberty Center will be on your left.

Honor Scores

Reported March– April

Bowler	Achievement	League or Tournament	Date
Cornell, Tony	823	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	March 29, 2016
Brown, Eric	815	AMF Fredericksburg, Friday Nite Early	April 22, 2016
Brown, Nicholas	813	Youth Pepsi Tournament, AMF Hanover	April 9, 2016
Moylan, John	804	11th Annual GFUSBC Open Tournament	April 3, 2016
Gallahan, Bryan	804	AMF Fredericksburg, Friday Nite Early	April 1, 2016
Holloway, Jeter III	802	AMF Fredericksburg, Steve's Trio's	April 14, 2016
Brown, Eric	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Friday Nite Early	April 22, 2016
Holloway, Jeter III	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Steve's Trio's	April 14, 2016
Brown, Nicholas	300	Youth Pepsi Tournament, AMF Hanover	April 9, 2016
Toman, Martin	300	AMF Dale City, DCMML	April 4, 2016
Johnson, Jeffery	300	11th Annual GFUSBC Open Tournament	April 3, 2016
Wolfe, Jim	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Friday Nite Early	April 1, 2016
Rumbaugh, Paul	300	Liberty Center, Wednesday Night Men's	March 30, 2016
Heard, John	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	March 29, 2016
Bowling, Jay	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	March 29, 2016
Simpson, Michael	300	AMF Dale City, DCMML	March 14, 2016
Marrero, Jorge	300	AMF Dale City, Original Thu Night Mixed	March 10, 2016
Heard, John	300	3rd Annual GFUSBC Mixed Tournament	March 5, 2016
Myers, Jamey	300	Liberty Center, Wednesday Night Men's	March 2, 2016
Bell, Wayne	11-in-a-Row	11th Annual GFUSBC Open Tournament	April 3, 2016
Cornell, Tony	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	March 15, 2016
Turner, Leonard	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	March 15, 2016
Williams, Eric	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Friday Nite Early	March 11, 2016
McCay, David	11-in-a-Row	Liberty Center, Wednesday Night Men's	March 9, 2016
Myers, Jamey	11-in-a-Row	Liberty Center, Liberty Eagles	March 7, 2016



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Final Prize Listing
 11th Annual Open Championship
 Sorted by Event, Division

Team, Handicap Team, Handicapped

Place	Team name	Entry	Score	Hcap	Prize	From
1	Rokit Repair	27	2,970	133	\$500.00	Fredericksburg, VA
2	Oliver	23	2,967	118	\$300.00	Colonial Beach, VA
3	Foster	20	2,877	315	\$150.00	Stafford, VA
4	Cope's Crew	2	2,875	511	\$100.00	Stafford, VA

Total prizes awarded in this division: \$1,050.00

Team, Scratch Team, Scratch

Place	Team name	Entry	Score	Hcap	Prize	From
1	Oliver	23	2,849		\$252.00	Colonial Beach, VA

Total prizes awarded in this division: \$252.00

Total prizes awarded in this event: \$1,302.00

Doubles, HCP Doubles, Handicapped

Place	Team name	Entry	Score	Hcap	Prize	From
1	Ference, Jim A / Bell, Wayne	15	1,612	245	\$400.00	Ruther Glen, VA
2	Payne, Pamela M / Holloway, Jeter B, III	11	1,559	228	\$275.00	Rhoadesville, VA
3	Watson, Kyle H / Watson, Edgar L, Jr	12	1,536	410	\$150.00	Stafford, VA
4	Bridgett, Tim M / Hatfield, Tammy L	19	1,503	171	\$87.50	Spotsylvania, VA
4	Buffington, SunNa / Buffington, Jay	19	1,503	334	\$87.50	Spotsylvania, VA
6	Brown, Dawn E / Brown, Eric M	8	1,499	210	\$60.00	Stafford, VA
7	Ware, Tracey R / Ware, Earl B	18	1,487	345	\$50.00	Fredericksburg, VA
8	Surfer, Shelley / Pittman, Daniel J	1	1,479	266	\$40.00	Fredericksburg, VA

Total prizes awarded in this division: \$1,150.00

Doubles, Scratch Doubles, Scratch

Place	Team name	Entry	Score	Hcap	Prize	From
1	Wolfe, James M / Einhorn, James D	27	1,437		\$150.00	Fredericksburg, VA
2	Bridgett, Tim M / Hatfield, Tammy L	19	1,332		\$100.00	Spotsylvania, VA
3	Gallahan, Bryan W / Oliver, John C	23	1,328		\$38.00	Colonial Beach, VA

Total prizes awarded in this division: \$288.00

Total prizes awarded in this event: \$1,438.00

Singles, HCP Singles, Handicapped

Place	Team name	Entry	Score	Hcap	Prize	From
1	Moylan, John S, Jr	14	868	64	\$200.00	Alexandria, VA
2	Schaarschmidt, Sherry	8	826	113	\$125.00	Stafford, VA
3	Buffington, Jay	19	823	105	\$117.00	Spotsylvania, VA
4	Watson, Kyle H	12	820	243	\$106.00	Stafford, VA
5	Ball, Felix M	4	815	194	\$97.00	Fredericksburg, VA
6	Brady, David A	22	801	75	\$87.00	Fredericksburg, VA
7	Brown, Eric M	8	794	59	\$79.00	Stafford, VA
8	Heard, John D	20	787	54	\$70.00	Stafford, VA
9	Ware, Earl B	18	779	124	\$62.00	Fredericksburg, VA
10	Johnson, Jeffrey B	16	773	135	\$54.00	Fredericksburg, VA
11	McElheny, Don B	1	765	64	\$47.00	Fredericksburg, VA
12	Hoang, Vincent V	26	761	110	\$39.00	Fredericksburg, VA
13	Jones, David F	17	754	164	\$30.00	King George, VA
14	Curtis, Blake J	2	752	113	\$23.00	Stafford, VA
15	Robertson, Jose O	7	750	145	\$14.00	Stafford, VA

Total prizes awarded in this division: \$1,150.00

Singles, Scratch Singles, Scratch

Place	Team name	Entry	Score	Hcap	Prize	From
1	Moylan, John S, Jr	14	804		\$100.00	Alexandria, VA
2	Brown, Eric M	8	735		\$75.00	Stafford, VA
3	Heard, John D	20	733		\$63.00	Stafford, VA
4	Schaarschmidt, Sherry	8	713		\$45.00	Stafford, VA
5	Rumbaugh, Paul L, II	5	710		\$29.00	Stafford, VA
6	Clarke, Phillip C	14	707		\$12.00	Alexandria, VA

Total prizes awarded in this division: \$324.00

Total prizes awarded in this event: \$1,474.00

All Events, Handicap All Events, Handicapped

Place	Team name	Entry	Score	Hcap	Prize	From
1	Moylan, John S, Jr	14	2,338	192	\$100.00	Alexandria, VA
2	Brady, David A	22	2,326	225	\$75.00	Fredericksburg, VA
3	Watson, Kyle H	12	2,282	729	\$55.00	Stafford, VA
4	Buffington, Jay	19	2,265	315	\$40.00	Spotsylvania, VA
5	Bell, Wayne	15	2,244	330	\$30.00	Ruther Glen, VA
6	Ware, Earl B	18	2,232	372	\$20.00	Fredericksburg, VA
7	Hatfield, Tammy L	19	2,220	216	\$12.50	Spotsylvania, VA
8	Ball, Felix M	4	2,208	582	\$5.00	Fredericksburg, VA

Total prizes awarded in this division: \$337.50

All Events, Scratch All Events, Scratch

Place	Team name	Entry	Score	Hcap	Prize	From
1	Gallahan, Bryan W	23	2,172		\$90.00	Colonial Beach, VA
2	Moylan, John S, Jr	14	2,146		\$40.00	Alexandria, VA
3	Brady, David A	22	2,101		\$9.50	Fredericksburg, VA

Total prizes awarded in this division: \$139.50

Total prizes awarded in this event: \$477.00

Total prizes awarded in this tournament: \$4,691.00

USBC is the national governing body for bowling as recognized by the United States Olympic Committee.

USBC officially launched Jan. 1, 2005, as the organization to serve amateur adult and youth bowlers in the United States. It resulted from the merger of the American Bowling Congress, Women's International Bowling Congress, Young American Bowling Alliance and USA Bowling.

BOWLING CENTERS

- 69 million people bowled at least once a year
- The No. 1 participation sport in the United States
- 1.57 million USBC members in the 2014-2015 season
- 53,209 USBC-certified leagues in the 2014-2015 season

BOWLING CENTERS

- 4,489 USBC-certified centers in the 2014-2015 season
- 95,430 USBC-certified lanes in the 2014-2015 season

MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS

- Highest certified three-game series: 900 (accomplished 27 times)
- Oldest to bowl a 300 game: 90 years, 9 months, 13 days, Name Withheld by Request, Fullerton, Calif.
- Youngest to bowl a 300 game: 9 years, 6 months, 19 days, Hannah Diem, Seminole, Fla.
- Oldest league bowler ever: 107 Gene Scala of Jericho, N.Y.

HIGH SCHOOL BOWLING

- Bowling is one of the fastest growing high school sports
- More than 5,000 schools offer boys and girls high school programs with more than 50,000 participating students.
- 48 states have high school bowling

COLLEGE BOWLING

- School membership in USBC Collegiate is growing more than 10 percent a year
- Collegiate bowling is a recognized sport by NCAA, NJCAA and NAIA

USBC OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

- The world's largest annual participatory sporting event, attracting 45,000-75,000 participants.
- Takes place during a stretch of about 130 consecutive days, from 9 a.m. until 1 a.m., daily.
- Bowlers compete for an estimated prize fund between \$4.5 - \$7.5 million.
- Bowlers come from all 50 states and foreign countries such as Bermuda, Canada, England, France, Germany, Bahamas, Italy, Mexico and Switzerland.
- A hosting community can expect to realize up to \$100 million in economic impact during the course of the tournament.



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USBC Annual Convention

Board of Directors elected: Frank Wilkinson (New York), Mark Martin (Michigan) and Jeff Ussery (Kansas) were reelected to the National Board of Directors.

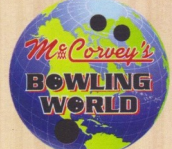
Changes passed at the 2016 USBC Annual Meeting Legislative Session

Tournament Rules (majority needed) Amendment No. TR 1 – Accepted, Rule 319c, Average Adjustments (Rerating) Requires bowler to report any previous tournament adjustment/rerate unless tournament rules state otherwise.

Bylaws (two-third votes needed) Requires non-merged state associations to be merged by August 1, 2018. Does not affect GFUSBCA, because we are already merged.

Amendment No. B 3 – USBC National Bylaws - Article III, Membership and Dues Section B, Dues. Allows national dues to increase up to a maximum of \$15. The USBC dues have not been raised since its inception in 2005. That is 11 years without a raise. USBC intends to raise the national dues to \$13 next year as a partial catch up. In 3 years, they will reevaluate to see if they need to raise the dues again.

2017 Convention will be held in Las Vegas, The Orleans, Week of April 24



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