

USBC 
GREATER FREDERICKSBURG



**11TH ANNUAL
SENIOR TOURNAMENT**

*Open to All GFUSBC Senior Members
(Ages 50 and over)*

October 24th and 25th 2015

Liberty Lanes Massaponax

5801 Southpoint Centre
Fredericksburg, VA 22407
~ (540) 710 -7467 ~

Lineage	\$ 9.50
Expenses	\$ 3.00
Prize Fund	<u>\$12.50</u>
Event Total	\$25.00

USBC Certified

Handicap: 90% of 240

Multiple entries allowed in Doubles Event

Entries close October 19, 2015

**Tournament Director ~ Diana Monroe ~ (540) 479-1609
amgfusbca@gmail.com**

"The entrants whose names appear on the Tournament Entry or their authorized replacements hereby agree that the Greater Fredericksburg USBC Association, its officers, and agents shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fees if and when these entrants shall be prevented from bowling any event in the tournament through delay, unexpected yet necessary schedule change or premature termination of the tournament which may be brought about by war, national emergency or emergencies or causes relating hereto from fires, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond the control of the Greater Fredericksburg USBC Association."

Entries available online at www.gfusbca.org

11th Annual Greater Fredericksburg USBC Senior Tournament @ Liberty Lanes Massaponax

Available Squad Dates & Times			
Saturday - Oct 24		Sunday - Oct 25	
9 :00AM	1:00 PM	9:00AM	1:00 PM

Doubles and Singles Event available on all Squads
You may bowl one event per squad only

SELECT SQUAD TIMES			
	Choice	Date	Time
Singles	#1	_____	_____
	#2	_____	_____
Doubles	#1	_____	_____
	#2	_____	_____

TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Read all Rules - Retain rules page for reference
Entry Deadline - October 19, 2015

Captain: _____

Address: _____

Street

City State Zip

Phone: () _____ Email: _____

ENTRY IN BOTH SINGLES AND DOUBLES REQUIRED

You must bowl both Doubles & Singles unless you are a multiple entry. Check "Multi" if appropriate and include Double fees only for the appropriate multiple entries. Multiple entries are not allowed for Singles or All-Events.

Must bowl in Order Listed			2015-16 USBC #	Highest Avg last 2 years	Birth Date MM/DD/YY	M/F	Multi ? Y/N	Singles \$25	Doubles \$25	A/E (optional) \$5	Per Bowler Total
Last Name	First	Mi									
1	Phone #:										
2	Phone #:										
Total								\$	\$	\$	\$

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

GFUSBC SENIOR TOURNAMENT

MAIL ENTRIES TO:

GFUSBC SENIOR TOURNAMENT
17 Ashland Circle
Fredericksburg, VA 22406

OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Received:	Entry #	Singles \$	Doubles \$	A/E \$
Total Received:	Squad Assignment			
	Singles		Doubles	

11th Annual Greater Fredericksburg USBC Senior Tournament Rules

Please remove this sheet and keep for your reference

1. **ELIGIBILITY:** All entrants must be certified by the United States Bowling Congress (USBC) and members of the Greater Fredericksburg USBC Association (GFUSBC); must be **50** years of age or older at the time of participation. **Entry is required in both Doubles and Singles. Walk in entries are not allowed. Reentry into doubles with a new partner is allowed. All Events must be entered by the Oct 19 2015 deadline.**

2. **MULTIPLE ENTRIES:** Multiple entries will be allowed for **Doubles event, but only** with a **new partner** each time.

3. **SINGLES EVENTS:** Shall consist of 2 divisions for both men and women.

Division 1: 61 years and older

Division 2: 50 - 60 years old

4. **DOUBLE EVENTS:** All entries will be in one division.

5. **ALL-EVENTS (optional):** All entries will be in one division. The cumulative individual total of handicap scores from the first event bowled in singles and doubles events will be used for All-Events.

6. **TOURNAMENT AVERAGE:**

Entrants will use the highest USBC certified average of the past 2 years. If the entrant does not have 2014-2015 or 2013-2014 average, must use the current highest average* at the time of participation for 12 games or more from a current GFUSBCA certified league. Entrants not meeting any of the aforementioned requirements for average will use a 240 scratch average (USBC Rule 319b).

* **Current league averages must be supported by an Average Verification form with the league secretary's signature and supporting bowler history.**

USBC Rule 319a.2 (current average 10 pins higher than last year), USBC Rule 319d (reporting prize winnings) and USBC Rule 319e (average adjustment for entry) will apply.

7. **HANDICAP:** 90% of the difference between the individual's average and 240.

8. **PRIZE MONEY:** Prize money will be paid for handicap scores, with at least one prize for each five (5) entries in each event. All events will be paid one for each 10 entries. Prize money will be returned 100%. Prize money will be distributed to **Team Captains** within 30 days after the close of the tournament. **It is the Team Captain's responsibility to distribute any prize money within 30 days to all participants on their entry.**

AVERAGE VERIFICATION:

(a) It shall be the bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of their average in handicap tournaments, whether submitted by the bowler, their captain or others. Failure to use proper average shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than actual average; thereby, resulting in more handicap. Prize winnings shall be based on submitted average if it is higher than actual average. Correction of averages must be submitted in writing within 48 hours after the completion of the first event bowled.

(b) The Tournament Director will verify the entering average of all entrants using the bowl.com website. Written verification with bowler history record if current average is used.

9. **ENTRY FEE:** \$25.00 per person per event. This covers \$12.50 Prize Fee; \$9.50 Lineage; and \$3.00 Expense Fee. All-Events fee (optional) will be \$5.00 - \$4.50 Prize Fee and .50 Expense Fee. All applicable bank fees will be charged for any personal checks returned by the bank. There will be no refunds of entry fees. Overpayments of less than \$1 will not be returned.

10. **TARDINESS:** A player arriving late shall begin play with the frame in progress, except if a substitute is bowling. If a substitute has been used, the original bowler will forfeit the right to bowl in that event at that time. A bowler who misses one frame or more by not being present and ready to bowl when it is her turn shall not be credited with any pins for frames missed.

11. **DECISIONS:** All decisions of the Tournament Director are final unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC Rule 329.

APPLICATION DEADLINE October 19, 2015

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Greater Fredericksburg USBC Association
2015 – 2016 Tournament Schedule

TOURNAMENT	DATES	LOCATION	DEADLINE
Mixed Championship	December 5 th /6 th 2015	AMF Fredericksburg	November 30, 2015
Youth Championship	January 9 th /10 th 2016	AMF Fredericksburg	January 4, 2016
Women's Championship	February 6 th /7 th 2016	AMF Fredericksburg	February 1, 2016
Open Championship	April 2 nd /3 rd 2016	Liberty Center Massaponax	March 28, 2016

Greater Fredericksburg USBC publications

The Strike Force Gazette - Your association newsletter keeping you informed

WWW.GFUSBCA.ORG ... Your association website

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