



# 10TH ANNUAL YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP

\*\*\* \$375 Added Prize Money \*\*\*
Courtesy of Debbie Lanum \$100 and \$275 from Smart Funds
AWARDS WILL BE USBC SMART SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

February 7th and 8th, 2015

#### LIBERTY CENTER - MASSAPONAX

 Lineage
 \$ 8.00

 Expenses
 \$ 1.00

 Prize Fund
 \$ 9.00

 Event Total
 \$18.00

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

#### 2 HANDICAP DIVISIONS

Seniors/Juniors (12-19 Years) and Preps (11 & Under Years)

### 2 OPTIONAL SCRATCH DIVISIONS

150 and over average & 149 and under average

Handicap: 100% of 210

## Entries close February 2, 2015

Tournament Director ~ Diana Monroe ~ (540) 479-1609 Email: 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."

# 10th Annual Greater Fredericksburg USBC Youth Championship Tournament @ Liberty Lanes - Massaponax

2014-2015

USBC#

AVAILABLE SQUAD DATES							
TEAM	7-Feb-15	1:00 PM					
DOUBLES & SINGLES	8-Feb-15	1:00 PM					

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DOUBLES & SINGLES PAIRINGS ONLY - February 8, 2015 @ 1 PM

First

## **NOTE:** Team and Doubles divisions are determined by the oldest bowler as of August 1, 2014.

TEAM LINE UP - February 7, 2015 @ 1 PM

\*\* Must Bowl in Order Listed \*\*

Last Name

#### **TYPE or PRINT CLEARLY**

# READ ALL RULES - RETAIN RULES PAGE FOR REFERENCE ENTRY DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 2, 2015

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MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: GFUSBC YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP MAIL ENTRIES TO:

**Last Name** 

GFUSBC Youth Championship 17 Ashland Circle Fredericksburg, VA 22406

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#### 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Greater Fredericksburg USBC Youth Championship Tournament Rules

- TOURNAMENT OPEN to all youths who are certified members of a Greater Fredericksburg USBC Youth certified League for the 2014 2015 season.
- 2. **TOURNAMENT EVENTS** are Team Event, Singles, Doubles and Handicap All-Events (optional) and will be in two age divisions of 12 and over and 11 and under (age as of August 1, 2014). Team and doubles divisions are determined by the oldest bowler. An optional Singles Scratch event is available and will be by average divisions of 150 and over and 149 and under.
- 3. **ENTRANTS** must enter both Singles and Doubles to bowl either. Singles will be bowled first.
- 4. **MULTIPLE ENTRIES** Multiple entries will not be allowed.
- 5. AVERAGES: Participants will use their highest USBC GFUSBC CERTIFIED 2014-2015 Fall/Winter league average as of January 1, 2015 based on a minimum of 15 games. Any entrant not meeting the above average requirement will use their highest current league average of 15 games or more at the time of the tournament. All averages must be verified by a coach prior to participant bowling their first event; otherwise, participant shall bowl scratch. YOUTH DIRECTORS WILL BE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT COMPLETED AVERAGE REQUEST FORMS FOR ALL YOUTH LEAGUES WITH AVERAGES AS OF JANUARY 1, 2015.
- HANDICAP is based on 100% of the difference between the bowler's average and 210.
- 7. **ENTRY FEE:** The entry fee is \$18.00 per person per event Team, Doubles & Singles \$8.00 lineage, \$9.00 prize fund, and \$1.00 expense fee. **Handicap All Events** fee (optional) will be \$2.00 \$1.50 Prize Fund; .50 Expense Fee. **Scratch Singles Event** fee (optional) will be \$5.00; \$4.50 Prize Fund; .50 Expense Fee. (All Events fees may be transferred to another bowler providing the transfer is made before either bowler has participated in any event.)

NO ENTRY FEE WILL BE REFUNDED ONCE ACCEPTED.

8. **DIVISIONS:** There will be two divisions BY AGE for Team, Doubles, Singles, and All-Events. The oldest bowler as of August 1, 2014 will determine the division for Team and Doubles. Scratch Singles will be two divisions by average.

Handicapped Team/Doubles/Singles/All-Events

**Division 1:** ages 12 & Up **Division 2:** ages 11 & Under

Optional Scratch Singles
Division 1: averages 150 & Up
Division 2: averages 149 & Under

- 9. **SUBSTITUTES** will be allowed but must report at least one hour prior to scheduled time to bowl with properly completed substitute form, and will be allowed only in the same lineup position. Once a substitute competes in any event, the original entrant may not bowl in that spot at that time.
- 10. **LINEUP** will be in the same order as listed on the entry form.
- 11. **CHECK-IN** will be no later than one half hour prior to scheduled squad time. Check-In will be on an individual basis and 2014 2015 USBC membership cards must be presented at Check-In.
- 12. **TARDY BOWLERS** or Teams arriving late will receive a zero for each frame missed and shall begin play with the frame then being bowled. If a <u>TEAM</u> has an absent bowler and does not wish to have a substitute, they may use the absent bowlers average MINUS TEN pins. Only one (1) absent bowler per team may be used (**rule 322b**). Absent score can be used in **Team Event only**.
- 13. **PRACTICE** bowling on the lanes assigned for Tournament Play will not be allowed one hour prior to tournament competition.
- 14. **PRIZES:** Team, Singles, Doubles, and All-Events prizes will be guaranteed for 1st and 2nd Place winners in all divisions. Awards will be based on the number of entries per division (i.e. minimum of one place for every 10 entries). **ALL PRIZE FEES WILL BE RETURNED 100%.** Additional prizes will be awarded for individual high handicap and scratch games/series in both divisions. All prizes will be scholarship funds managed by the USBC SMART Scholarship program.
- 15. **DRESS CODE:** Attire must be neat, clean and properly fitting. Collared shirts are highly recommended. Attire advertising liquor or tobacco products or displaying lewd or profane graphics and/or language will not be allowed. Hats will not be permitted to be worn during competition. The Greater Fredericksburg Youth Tournament Director's decision is final.
- 16. **ALCOHOL**, **TOBACCO** and **FOOD**: The concourse and bowling area will be **Alcohol**, **Smoke & Tobacco**-free while the tournament is in progress. No food or drinks allowed in the bowler's area.
- 17. ONLY BOWLERS, TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS and VOLUNTEERS ARE ALLOWED IN THE BOWLER'S AREA.
- 18. **CLOSING DATE:** Postmarked by midnight, February 2, 2015.

Any rule not covered by the Association By-laws or the Tournament Rules will be covered by USBC Tournament Rules and Regulations. All decisions of the Tournament Director are final unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC Rule 329.

# TOURNAMENT SUBSTITUTION FORM GFUSBC Youth Championship Tournament

Substitutes should be reported as soon as possible. Complete this form and mail it along with the **verification of average** (as necessary) to the GFUSBC Youth Tournament Director, 17 Ashland Circle, Fredericksburg, VA 22406, or present it at the tournament office at least <u>ONE HOUR</u> prior to bowling.

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VALID AVERAGES for other than January 1, 2015:

1 – If no 15 game or more average as of January 1, 2015, use highest USBC/GFUSBC certified current league average of 15 or more games as of date of tournament participation – **requires secretary verification and bowler history.**