



CHRISTMAS CHARITY DOUBLES
TOURNAMENT

*Sponsored by Tuscaloosa USBC Association –
Money raised goes to sponsor a family for Christmas,
Food collected goes to family and/or the Community Soup Bowl*

Sunday – December 4, 2022 – 2:00 p.m.

SHINDIG

*******WALK-INS WELCOME*******

Doubles Entrants ~

Please complete separate forms for multiple entries

1. _____
NAME

_____ _____
AVERAGE Mark X if Alibi

2. _____
NAME

_____ _____
AVERAGE Mark X if Alibi

Amount Due: \$25 per bowler for basic entry
\$10 for each alibi

Total Received: _____

Make checks payable to Tuscaloosa USBC

Send advance entries WITH PAYMENT to:

Tuscaloosa USBC

PO Box 1307

Tuscaloosa AL 35403

Call with any questions – 205-765-4895

~Tournament Entry closes at 1:30 p.m. on Dec 4, 2022

Rules on reverse side

Christmas Charity Doubles Tournament Rules

Tournament Description: Tournament is sponsored by the Tuscaloosa USBC Association and certified by USBC. Format is handicap doubles. Tournament funds will be used to sponsor a family for Christmas, while food collected will go to a family and/or the Community Soup Bowl.

Tournament Date/Time: *Sunday*, December 4, 2022. Start time is 2:00 pm, with check-in at 1:15 pm.

Tournament Locations: **Shindig**

Entry Fee: \$25.00 per bowler or \$50.00 per doubles team. \$10 for alibis (an additional partner).

Entries Closed: Participants may sign up during tournament check-in time.

1. **PARTICIPANTS** – The tournament format is three games of handicap doubles. The tournament is open to adult members who are sanctioned through USBC for the current bowling season. Youth bowlers may not participate.
2. **MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION** – Multiple participation is allowed—a bowler may compete (alibi) with more than one partner. Bowler pays full \$25 entry fee for first entry, then \$10 for each additional entry.
3. **HANDICAP** – Based on 90% of 220.
4. **ENTRY FEE/PRIZE FUND** -- Entry fee is \$25 per bowler, with \$15 for lineage/expenses and \$10 going into the charity/prize fund. Prize money will be paid out based on a payout ratio of 1 place for every 10 entries, with the following prizes guaranteed: 1st place \$300.00, 2nd Place \$200.00, and 3rd Place \$150.00. Funds collected will be used to sponsor Christmas for a local family or to aid a family in need at some other time during the bowling season. **THANKS TO DANNY AND DJ'S PRO SHOP FOR DONATING \$200 TO OUR GUARANTEED PRIZE FUND!!**
5. **ENTERING AVERAGES** – Entrants will use their highest USBC sanctioned book average—summer or winter—for the previous season. Bowlers without a previous season average will use their highest current season average of at least 21 games, as of December 3rd. Bowlers without a current average will be required to bowl with a 220 average. The 10-pin rule applies (USBC Rule 319a2). Rules 319d and 319e are waived.
6. **AVERAGE RESPONSIBILITY** – It shall be each entrant's responsibility to verify the accuracy of his/her average (Rule 319a3) whether originally submitted by the entrant or anyone else.
7. **PROBLEMS/DISPUTES** – Any problems and/or disputes which may occur and are not covered by these tournament rules or USBC rules shall be decided upon by the Tournament Committee.
8. **TOURNAMENT DISRUPTION** – Premature termination of the tournament brought about by war, national emergency or emergency causes relating thereto or therefrom fire, natural disaster, or any other reason beyond the control of the Tuscaloosa USBC shall cause, to the extent required thereby, all advertised prizes, guaranteed or otherwise, to be prorated in accordance with the number of entrants who have bowled in the respective event up to the time of such termination.
9. **PROTESTS** – Protests involving eligibility or playing rules must be made to tournament management in writing within time limits in Rule 329. The decision of tournament management will be final unless a written appeal is filed with USBC Headquarters within the time limits in Rule 329.

Tournament Committee:
Bob Gambrell – Chairman
Jim Spitzley
Rick Rayfield
Sally Pannell
DJ Brasfield
Liz Abrasley

Entry form on reverse side