

# 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Northern Lights Youth Tournament

## 2010 @ Stadium Lanes

Saturday, March 6<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, March 7<sup>th</sup>  
 Saturday, March 13<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, March 14<sup>th</sup>

Saturday start times 12pm & 3:30pm  
 Sunday start times 9am & 12:30pm

USBC Youth Certified

- The top boy and girl Gold Member (boy aver. 175 or higher, girl aver. 165 or higher) will receive a paid entry to the Olympic Gold Qualifier in mid July. A Gold Member must bowl at least six games with the first six games being the qualifying games. **Note:** There must be at least 6 boys & 4 girls participating to have separate divisions. If not, they will be combined and the top 2 bowlers will go (need at least 6 bowlers total or no one will go).
- All entrants must be USBC sanctioned league bowlers or pay \$2.00 participation fee.
- Teams will consist of 4 boys, 4 girls or 4 mixed. Doubles may be mixed.
- Averages will divide the tournament into the following categories:

CATEGORY	TEAM	DOUBLES	SINGLES
A	700 & up	350 & up	175 & up
B	600 - 699	300 - 349	150 - 174
C	500 - 599	250 - 299	125 - 149
D	400 - 499	200 - 249	100 - 124
E	399 & under	199 & under	99 & under

- An All Events Championship will be awarded to the highest male and the highest female bowler. This award will be decided by the total pin fall from the bowlers first appearance in the team, doubles & singles events, handicaps included. There will be an additional fee of \$2.00 for this event. All bowlers participating in all three events and paying the All Events Fee will qualify. If for some reason a substitute is needed during play, the series rolled by more than one bowler will not qualify towards this award. The Scholarship amount will be determined by the number of entries in the All Events Division and sent to the USBC SMART Program for each winner (acct#8995). 100% of prize fund will be awarded.
- ENTRY FEE: \$12.00 per person per event. (\$7.50 lineage, \$2.50 prize fund, \$2.00 expense). 100% of the prize fund will be returned to bowlers as plaques. Plaques will be awarded in a 1:6 ratio. All awards will be determined by total pin fall plus handicap.
- HANDICAPS: will be 90% of 210 for all bowlers.
- AVERAGES: will be the current average with the minimum of 6 weeks bowled (2 game league - 12 games, 3 game leagues - 18 games). **THE LEAGUE COACH SENDING THE CORRECTLY FILLED OUT LEAGUE STANDING SHEET MUST VERIFY THIS AVERAGE.** If a bowler does not have this average as of the deadline February 26, 2010 then that bowler will bowl scratch (aver.=210).  
**Note:** All averages used must be "USBC" league averages.
- Bowlers may participate in each event as often as they wish. If you bowl singles and doubles, those events will be bowled at the same shift. If a bowler would like to bowl both doubles and singles but doubles on one date and singles on another, PLEASE SHOW CLEARLY on the entry forms! Singles will be bowled first. A bowler can place only once in the team event unless 2 or more bowlers are different for the "new" team. A bowler can place only once in the doubles event unless they changed partners. A bowler can only place once in the singles event.
- Prepaid Teams can receive one absentee score, the absent bowlers average minus ten (10). If more than one bowler is absent, the highest average minus ten (10) will be the absentee score and each additional bowler will receive zero for their scores. No absentee scores are allowed for singles and doubles. If a bowler is late, the bowler may start in the frame being bowled and receive zero (0) for each completed frame.
- Failure to appear for a scheduled shift forfeit's the reservation and entry fees. The tournament Director has the right to declare an emergency due to weather.
- It is advisable to have bowlers bring their shoes and balls from their own bowling center.
- All USBC rules will be followed and bowlers will be expected to show proper etiquette and behavior.
- Bowlers are required to check in 30 minutes BEFORE scheduled bowling time. Each bowler is responsible for his/her own scores. Stadium Lanes does have automatic scoring.
- For reserved spots, all entries MUST be postmarked by February 26, 2010. Phone & e-mail reservations are accepted until 6pm on February 26, 2010. Bowlers without reservations may bowl shifts according to availability of lanes.
- All changes must be approved by the Director not the bowling alley.
- Mail complete entry forms, completed standing sheets (including names, # of games, total pins & average), and check or money order (**NO CASH, US funds only**) made payable to:

"Northern Lights Youth Tournament"

Lori Curnow, Tournament Director

3315 Vernon St

Duluth, MN 55806

E-mail: [rltournaments@stadiumlanes.com](mailto:rltournaments@stadiumlanes.com) or Call: (218) 590-4100 for reservations

# Northern Lights Tournament Entry Form

Shifts are: Saturday, March 6th @ 12pm & 3:30pm Sunday, March 7th @ 9am & 12:30pm  
 Saturday, March 13th @ 12pm & 3:30pm Sunday, March 14th @ 9am & 12:30pm

Place: Stadium Lanes  
 132 N 34th Ave W  
 Duluth MN 55807

Please print line-up in bowling order. Please fill in completely.

## TEAM EVENT

Team Name: _____	M/F	Average	Entry Fee Paid \$12	All Events plus \$2	USBC Certification Number
Bowlers Name					
1					
2					
3					
4					
Totals			Note: Certification # required if in All Events		

## SINGLES EVENT

Bowlers Name	M/F	Average	Entry Fee Paid \$12	Gold Member Number
1				
1				
1				
1				
Totals				

## DOUBLES EVENT

Bowlers Name	M/F	Average	Entry Fee Paid \$12
1			
2			
1			
2			
Totals			

Team: Date/Time    1st Choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_

Singles/Doubles: Date/Time    1st Choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_

Verifying Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

MAIL COMPLETED FORM TO:  
 NORTHERN LIGHTS TOURNAMENT  
 Lori Curnow  
 3315 Vernon St  
 Duluth, MN 55806

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