

CO-ED LEAGUE RULES 2008-09

1. This league will bowl on Saturday at 6pm. The cost of bowling will be \$ 14.00 per week. This must be paid whether present or absent. There will be a \$ 40.00 sponsor fee for each team (possibly more than 10.00 per person for a team of 3 or less bowlers) no later than 9th week. If not paid by 9th week, that night's games will be forfeited. Teams will have 4 per team, but may carry a roster of 5 if they are paying members. Teams may have any combination of men or women on each team. Bowling for the 28th week must be paid by the 3rd week, and bowling for 27th week must be paid by 6th week.
2. A vacancy score of 120 will be used the first week or whenever a team does not have a legal line-up.
3. A seven point system will be used. Two points for each game won and one point for series.
4. The handicap (80 % from 220 per bowler) will be figured after three games are rolled and each bowler's 3 game average is figured. New bowler's or subs will bowl three game then figure their average. The score of each game will be used only if a bowler does not bowl three games his/her first night.
5. Absentee's score will be 10 pins less than their average.
6. No new subs the last two weeks of season, unless they have an established average of 9 games or more. No roving subs.
7. Tardy bowlers will be permitted to bowl if they arrive by the end of the 3rd frame first game, or beginning of second and third game.
8. A team must have at least one regular member for a legal lineup. If team bowls against a blind team or a forfeit situation, you must bowl within 40 pins of your team average to win points for each game, or 120 pins for series.
9. Team captains are responsible for collecting fees. Bowling and sanction fees may not be in arrears. The bowler must pay for all fees owed each week (with one week grace period only) or will be ineligible to bowl. If bowler misses a week's payment, any unpaid weeks must be paid in full to be eligible. A check for fees must clear bank in order not to be considered in arrears.
10. Absent bowlers must pay the regular bowling fee. Drop outs will be responsible for two weeks bowling fee unless replaced before two weeks are up. Any team that has an absent bowler who is in arrears in excess of 2 weeks will not be allowed to use a sub unless the arrearage is paid in full.
11. Pre-bowling acceptable for teams or individuals. Make-up games allowed for entire teams only and should be made up within two weeks. Make-ups must be bowled before end of season segment or forfeit those games.

12. Rules not covered will be governed by all USBC league rules.
13. Teams may be added or replacement members (men or women) added as season progresses. If additional teams are added, standing will be figured on percentage basis.
14. Bowlers ONLY will be allowed in bowling area. All others including kids must remain behind bowling area and remain supervised by parents.
15. Abusive and foul language will not be tolerated. Conduct derogatory or deliberate action detrimental to the best interest of the league will be cause for bowler to be dismissed from league. Action of this type is according to USBC rule 115a, and will be final.
16. This league will bowl a season of 7-6-7-6 week segments
There will be position/playoff rounds on the 27th and 28th weeks. Teams may qualify for the play-offs only once, but will receive the bonus money award for winning any quarter. In the event of tie for first at end of segment, a one game roll-off will be held immediately after that nights bowling. Total pins + hdcp. Will determine winner. Sponsor fees will be split> one half equally for the winner of each quad. The other half will be split> 60% for 1st place and 40% for second place.
17. On the 27th week, the four quarter winners will bowl in semi-finals. The team with the most points for season (of the four winners) will bowl the team with the 4th most points. The 2nd and 3rd most points will bowl each other. The remaining teams will bowl a position round based on points for season.
18. On the 28th week, the two winners of semi-finals will bowl for the championship with losing team receiving second place. The two losing teams in the first weeks playoffs will bowl each other for 3rd and 4th places. All others will bowl position round based on points won for season.
19. No individual prebowls for playoff weeks (27th & 28th week). Lane assignments for 27th & 28th week will place rollofs in center of the league.

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