

Open Tournament Rules

April 11 & 12, April 18 & 19, and April 25 & 26

Team: Saturdays at 4:00pm and Sundays at 2:00pm

Doubles & singles: Saturdays at 11:00am and Sundays at 9:00am

Red Apple Bowling Center, 1414 SE Washington Blvd, Bartlesville, OK 74006

Cost per event: \$35.00 Per Person, AEH and AES \$5.00 each

1. Only members of the Oklahoma State USBC are eligible to bowl in this tournament. This is a USBC Certified tournament. This tournament will be administered on the center house pattern.
2. Entries must include all information and FULL payment, or they will be returned.
3. Entrants may bowl on multiple teams. To bowl team multiple times, you must change at least 2 members of the team.
4. Each entrant may bowl doubles and singles multiple times. To bowl doubles multiple times, you must change partners. All doubles entrants must enter singles each time they bowl. Doubles and singles will be bowled on the same pair of lanes and doubles will be bowled first. A bowler can only cash once in singles.
5. All events will be based on the bowler's first score in each event bowled.
6. Substitutions will be allowed up to squad time.
7. Awards and cash prizes will be awarded on a basis of scores plus handicap for team, doubles, singles, and handicap all events. Scratch awards for team, doubles, singles, and all events will be based on actual pinfall.
8. Handicap will be figured on an individual basis at 80% of 225.
9. Entering Average:
 - a) The bowler's 2024-2025 composite average with a minimum of 21 games verified by bowl.com.
 - b) If no 2024-2025 composite average, bowlers will use the current certified average as of March 20, 2026 with a minimum of 21 games. *Standing sheet must be provided at time of bowling. It can be emailed in advance to Oklahoma.usbc@gmail.com.*
 - c) If no A or B, we will use the 2023-2024 composite average.
 - d) All others will bowl scratch.
 - e) USBC Tournament Rules 319(a) (ten pin rule) will not apply.
 - f) USBC Tournament Rules 319(d) (Reporting Prior Prize Winnings) will apply.
 - g) Tournament committee reserves the right to re-rate any submitted average.
10. Team, doubles, and singles will pay one (1) place for every 8 entries. Handicap all events and scratch all events will pay one (1) place for every 12 entries.
11. In case of a tie for first place in any event, co-champions will be declared, and affected prizes and monies will be equally divided. All other ties will result in affected prize money being equally divided.
12. In the event of mechanical failure, bowlers may be moved to the next available pair of lanes. Any scores lost due to mechanical failure will be re-bowled.
13. The recap sheet is the official score. Any protests regarding eligibility or general playing rules must be submitted in writing prior to tournament payout. All rules and regulations will be governed by the USBC Rulebook.
14. The tournament manager reserves the right to add or delete squads due to the number of entries or weather conditions.
15. All prizes will be awarded within 30 days from the end of the tournament. Reserved entries close on March 20, 2026. Late entries will be accepted based on lane availability and at the tournament manager's discretion. Late entries must be emailed to Rett Norman at r.normanbowloklahoma@gmail.com. **All fees must accompany entries.** Rett can be reached at 580-916-1026.
16. Bowlers winning more than \$600 will be required to fill out a W9 before receiving any prize monies.